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## SUGGESTIONS TO BUYERS.

Every thinking business man, after taking inventory, draws from his past experience such figures and lessons as will help his future. Every such man engaged in the ordinary lines of merchandising, who has had the average experience, has discovered a constant tendency toward a shrinkage of either his percentage of profit or the volume of his business.

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One of the first of his conclusions has therefore been: "One thing is certain, I must either increase sales or reduce expenses." After carefully considering the latter expedient, he finds, (if a good manager) but little room for improvement. Inferior accommodations or help he usually decides will prove poor economy. He is therefore shut up to the "increase sales" idea. But that's the "rub." How is it to be accomplished? If honest, he will not stoop to the "fake" of a mock "closing out" sale that don't close out. Neither will he adopt the other method of reduction of prices that are not bona fide, but only pretended.

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## New Goods--Select Stock.

Call and examine my stock at either store before purchasing elsewhere. may26d

### THE TRUTH ABOUT HORACE.

It is very gratifying to hear the editor of the Jacksonville Republican say that the face of the man who was a prisoner when we knew that with the ladies he was always raising hell, and with many an escapade his best productions were looked.

There's really not much harm in a large number of his carmen. But these people find alarm in a few words of his carmen. So they'll squelch the music carmen. And to students of the music carmen. The carmen is a metaphor. What old Horace meant for facts.

We have always thought "em lary; Now we judge 'em crazy. Why, Horace was a dandy. There was very much all right; And the wisest of us know him as his Lydia verses show him. Go, read that verse poem, It is No. 13.

He was a very old, sir, And, starting out to prove, sir, You bet he made Rome howl, sir, Until he filled his carmen. With a music laden ditty And a classic mellow pretty He rattled up the city. And Maccenas paid the freight!

—Eugene Field.

### THE CHINA FAIRY.

Tom Johnson was five-and-twenty and a clerk in the city. He was married to the dearest little woman in the world, and they lived in three rooms in a nice respectable street near Camden Town.

Rose, Tom's wife, was a perfect little household fairy. Tom could only give her thirty shillings a week out of his salary, but she did wonders with it. The little sitting room was always bright and cozy and clean, and there was always something nice for Tom's tea when he came home fagged out with the work and worry of the office. Of course they were obliged to be very economical and to deny themselves many things they would have liked, but one treat they always allowed themselves every week, and that was a visit to a place of amusement. Tom and Rose were both very fond of the theatre, and by waiting till a play had had a good run and by getting to the doors early they generally managed to get good places in the pit.

Being so fond of the theatre, Tom and Rose naturally took a great deal of interest in the theatrical items of news and gossip, without which, nowadays, a newspaper is not considered to be fully adapted to the requirements of the public.

Poor little Rose used to give a sigh of envy sometimes when Tom read out to her the paragraphs about the enormous incomes which dramatic authors were making. "Oh, Tom," she would say, "fancy making hundreds of pounds a week like that, just for writing a play! Fancy if you had been able to do it!" "It would be fine, wouldn't it?" Tom would reply, and then they would begin fancying what they would have done with the money. They would have had a beautiful house and a carriage and a pair for Rose; and when she went to the theatre on the first night to see her husband come out on the stage and how many of the tremendous applause of a crowded house, she would have worn the loveliest dresses, and her diamonds would have been the envy of all the ladies.

"Oh, how beautiful it would be, Tom," the young wife cried one day, as they conjured up visions of splendor together; "no getting up at six in the morning for you, dear, no turning out in all winds and weathers; you would be able have your breakfast nice and comfortably with me, and take plenty of time over it; and you would stop at home and work in your study, and I could bring my sewing and sit with you, and when you'd finished we should be able to have dinner together, and go out every evening to some place of amusement. Oh, Tom, dear, couldn't you write a play?"

Tom shook his head. "I'm afraid not, Rose," he said. "There's a peculiar knack about it, I expect."

"I suppose it is very difficult," sighed Rose. "You may be sure it is, my dear," answered Tom. "Or there would be a great many more people doing it, and the authors wouldn't be getting such prices for their work as we read about in the newspapers."

One Saturday Tom and Rose went to the morning performance of a play that had been acted 200 times straight off in London, and the author of which was reported already to have realized £10,000 by it.

On their way home they passed an old curiosity shop and stopped to look in at the window. Among the odds and ends there was a pretty little china fairy, to which Rose took a great fancy.

"Oh, Tom, dear," she cried, "look at that little china figure. Isn't it pretty? That is just the sort of thing I should like on my mantel shelf. I should never be tired of looking at it. Do go in and see how much it is."

Tom went in and asked the price, and returned with the information that it was 40 shillings.

"Oh, dear," said Rose, "that's much more than we can afford. Come along, Tom."

But though Rose said "Come along," she didn't move. She stood looking lovingly at the little china fairy. All at once she gave a start. "Oh, Tom!" she exclaimed; "look at that fairy's lips; they're moving."

"What nonsense!" said Tom, laughing. "You've been staring at it; it's an optical illusion."

"Tom, would it be very wicked if we bought it? I'd save money out of my housekeeping."

"Well, it's a lot of money, but I dare say it won't ruin us. I see you want it, dear, and you shall have it."

And before Rose could stop him Tom had stepped into the shop, and presently he came out with the little china fairy carefully wrapped up in paper. Rose put it in her muff—it was quite a little fairy—and they bore it off home in triumph.

It looked so lovely on the mantel shelf Rose couldn't take her eyes off it, but kept going up to it all evening and saying, "Oh, you little dear!" and she would

have it that the fairy's eyes were looking at her. Tom laughed, but he confessed that it really was a very lifelike little figure. The face was quite real, and the wonderful thing about it was that its expression seemed to change.

Being Saturday night, the young couple sat up rather late. Tom smoked his pipe while Rose read to him, and they were so comfortable and so happy that they never noticed the time till Tom happened to look at his watch; and then he cried out, "Good gracious, Rose, it's one minute to 12!"

Rose closed the book—she had reached the end of the chapter—lit the bedroom candle, and then Tom turned the gas out. As he did so the big clock downstairs struck 12.

Just as the last stroke died away a sweet, soft, silvery voice exclaimed: "Thank you so much for buying me."

Rose was so startled that she dropped the candle, which fell on the floor and went out. Tom started up with an exclamation, and when he saw a halo of light round her head, stood the little china fairy on the mantel-shelf. It was the fairy who had spoken. Her lips had parted, showing two rows of pearls teeth, and the kindest, sweetest smile was on her face.

"Don't be frightened," said the fairy, as Rose clutched Tom and wondered whether she ought to faint or not; "don't be frightened, I am a good fairy. I was turned to china by a wicked enchantress, but every night at 12 o'clock I recover the power of speech, which lasts until dawn. As you were unhappy in the old curiosity shop, where I was taken by the person who found me in a forest and thought I was an ornament. There was no one there at midnight for me to talk to except a lot of Chinese idols and brass figures and creatures of that sort, and they didn't understand me. I was very pleased when you brought me to your nice, happy home, and you can't think how I've been longing for 12 o'clock to be able to thank you."

"I'm sure we're very pleased," stammered Rose, "but of course it's very odd. I don't like to ask you, but—would you like anything to eat?"

The fairy laughed a silvery laugh. "Oh, no," she said, "fairies are never hungry. Besides, I want you to be kind enough to open the window for me and let me fly away. If I can get back to fairyland before dawn, I may find my protectress, who will take away the spell that has turned me to china."

"Oh, certainly," said Tom, with pleasure; and he was proceeding to open the window when he recollected the fairy had cost him 10 shillings, and that the transaction would be a dead loss to him.

The fairy evidently guessed what was passing in Tom's mind, for she flew gracefully off the mantelpiece and stood on the table beside him.

"I will not be ungrateful," she said; "as a reward for your kindness I can grant you one wish, whatever it is."

"Oh, Tom!" exclaimed Rose, who had gradually shaken off her nervousness. "I wish to be a dramatic author."

Tom was always an obedient husband (that was why he was so happy), and so he said at once, "I wish to be a dramatic author."

"Certainly," said the fairy. "Go to bed, and to-morrow when you wake up you will be one. Now, think you very much, and good night." The fairy kissed her little hand to the young couple, spread her wings and flew away into the moonlight. Tom and Rose watched her as far as they could see her; then closed the window and retired to rest.

The next morning when Tom woke up he had a splitting headache, and he felt so awfully seedy he could hardly sit up to look at his watch.

"By Jove!" he exclaimed, "it's 12 o'clock!"

Tom looked round for Rose and found she wasn't there.

"Rose! Rose!" he called out, "where are you?"

Rose came running in from the next room.

"Oh, you are awake at last, Tom," she said. "Will you have a cup of tea?"

"I think so;—By Jove! I'm awfully ill;—I can hardly open my eyes."

"I don't wonder at it," said Rose; "it was 6 o'clock this morning when you came home."

"Oh, yes! I remember," said Tom, sitting up and looking round the large, elegantly furnished bedroom. "A beastly all night dress rehearsal. And I've got to go down to the theatre again today and see that scene. I have to alter the situation at the last minute to suit the scene, because the scene itself can't be altered in time."

"Was Mr. Smith any better tempered last night?"

"Not he swears it's the worst part he ever played, and he's sure that it will be the best; and Miss Brown won't have that good one out she says it's the only thing she can see, and I'm sure that it will be good, and it comes just at a critical point."

Tom was just going to lie down again till the tea came, when a servant came up.

"Pardon me, Mr. Jones has called, and he says he must see you at once."

"Oh, bother!" said Tom. "What's the matter now? Ask him to come up."

Rose went down, and presently Mr. Jones, the manager of the theatre where Johnson's drama was to be produced on Monday evening, came in.

"Sorry to worry you, old fellow," said Jones, "but it's serious. Everybody who saw the dress rehearsal last night says the fifth act will settle the play. You must end it in the fourth."

"Don't be a fool, Johnson," he said; "think it over and come down to my house. Smith (that was the leading man) will be there and Robinson (the stage manager), and we'll talk it over quietly. I must go now. I must call on Miss Blank and see if she can play Mary Walters to-morrow night."

"Miss Blank? Why, Miss Daeh is going to play it."

"What, haven't you heard? She was thrown out of her cab going home from the rehearsal last night, and won't be able to play for a month."

Tom groaned and flung himself back on the pillow.

"Everything in the play depends upon Mary Walters," he said, "and you are going to have it played at twelve hours notice by a girl who's never seen a line of the part yet."

"What are we to do?"

"I don't know," groaned Johnson. "I'll come round presently. I believe this play will drive me mad."

An hour later Tom was going down stairs growling and groaning to himself, when he heard the door open.

"Going out, Tom? Why, you haven't had your breakfast."

"I can't eat a morsel," said Tom. "I'm done up, Rose. I wish I'd been at Jericho before I became a dramatic author."

Monday night came, and Tom, in a state of high fever brought on by overwork and anxiety and late hours, walked up and down outside the theatre, trying to sum up courage to go in. He had cut out the last act; he had given Miss Blank one hurried rehearsal; he had quarrelled with the leading actress, who had told him before the whole company that the play was rot; he had gone home in a vile temper, and made Rose cry her eyes out, and now, in a state bordering on delirious fever, he was awaiting the verdict on a play which had cost him months of anxious thought, and on which the management had expended thousands of pounds.

"If it's a failure I'll never write again," groaned Tom.

Just then a man came hurriedly out of the stage door.

"Curtain up yet?" asked Tom, nervously.

"No, sir," said the man; "something gone wrong with the scene in the first act, and the mechanical change won't work through it. I'm just going out to see if I can find Mr. —. They say it'll be half an hour before it will be put right."

Tom rushed into the theatre. As he went the leading actress, who had been told him before the whole company that the play was rot; he had gone home in a vile temper, and made Rose cry her eyes out, and now, in a state bordering on delirious fever, he was awaiting the verdict on a play which had cost him months of anxious thought, and on which the management had expended thousands of pounds.

Tom groaned and rushed out into the street again.

"Oh, my poor play, my poor play!" he cried, "it's damned before it's begun."

An hour and a half later Tom, pale, shivering, clutching his hands together in nervous excitement, crept into the back of the pit. The third act was just beginning. There was a very powerful scene in this act. Tom had built upon its making a great impression on the audience.

The villain suddenly appears at a window, and while another villain is writing a letter, the first villain, who is the hero, who rushes in and reads the letter to his happiness.

The villain has so cautiously open the window. He does so after struggling with it for five minutes, and making a noise which could be heard all over the house, but of which the other villain takes no notice.

"He has not heard me," says the villain.

"He must be jolly deaf then," said a boy in the gallery, and the house titters.

The villain, who is the hero, who rushes in and reads the letter to his happiness.

But the house is hushed immediately. There is no fainter audience in the world than that which assembles in a London theatre on the first night.

But it is only a hush, and the audience, and so when, as the villain crept in at the window and was just advancing on his victim, the looking glass, real, fastened on the scene, came down with a crash, and the victim, following his author, exclaimed, "No sound disturbs the silence of the night," there was a roar.

The situation could go no farther. It went utterly when the villain, disconcerted, as well he might be, in creeping up behind the victim's chair, caught his foot against a platform intended to draw the table off for a change of scene, and fell sprawling, his pistol going off between his unconscious victim's feet.

With the roar of irresistible laughter which followed this final catastrophe ringing in his ears, Tom Johnson rushed from the theatre to the Thames embankment.

"It is ruin. It is disgrace," he cried. "I never survive it. Curse the hour when I gave myself up to this life of constant harass, annoyance and disappointment! How can I read the awful things that will be said of me in the papers to-morrow! How can I meet my friends and listen to their condolences! How can I ever enter a theatre again! No, I will not live to die in a lunatic asylum. I will end it all in the peaceful river."

Tom leaped upon the parapet and was about to make the fatal plunge, when he heard a sweet silvery voice behind him. It was the China fairy's.

"With a frantic cry Tom turned to her. 'Can you grant me another wish?' he exclaimed.

"Certainly."

"Then make me a clerk in the city again, and at once."

"Breakfast's ready, dear, and it's 9 o'clock. Aren't you going to get up?" Tom shouted for joy. He was a clerk again, and it was Sunday morning, the happy day of peace and rest at home with his dear, contented little wife.

Oh! what a happy Sunday it was. How snug and comfortable the sitting room looked. And after breakfast, when he sat down and read in the Sunday paper an awful "skate" of Mr. Three Stars' new play, he felt a great weight lifted from his heart, and he exclaimed: "Thank heaven, I'm not a dramatist, but only a happy city clerk, with just enough to live on, and only one master!" And he never wanted to be a dramatist again as long as he lived.—George Sims in London Theatre.

A Man of Great Weight.

Sam Eldredge, of the board of trade, took a trip to Europe, and when he came back he naturally felt a little more important, as all men do after their first trip across the water. He then began telling about what he saw abroad, and these stories became tiresome to his associates on change. One morning Andy Shaw came on the floor looking very rocky. Andy is a good deal of a wag when he feels in the mood, and, when some of his friends inquired as to his unhealthy appearance, he said: "You see, it's just like this. Yesterday afternoon when I left the office I had a dull, thumping headache; so I thought I would try to walk it off. Accordingly I started to walk home. Just after I had crossed the bridge I experienced a peculiar feeling. It was as though I was walking up hill. The further I walked the steeper the hill seemed. When I reached home I was utterly exhausted. I was at a loss to explain this peculiar feeling until I came down this morning and learned what caused it. I couldn't sleep all night, as I was so exhausted, but I find that Sam Eldredge was on the south side as I was walking home and that the north side tipped up."

—Chicago Herald.

Caught by a Monkey.

A murder is reported to have been committed some way off Wynnad, in which a monkey detected the murderers. It appears that a juggler with his wife, a goat and two monkeys were attacked by two Mohals, who killed all except the male monkey, which escaped, and buried the bodies in the jungle. The male monkey took its station upon a big tree, watched everything and when a constable passed by the animal made after him, laid hold on the man's leg and dragged him to the place where the bodies were buried. The bodies were exhumed, after which the monkey showed the way to a hut which the murderers had entered. Not finding them, the animal took the constable in another direction and suddenly ran at full speed and seized a Mohal, who was going to bathe, near a tank, by the neck and waited till the constable arrived. This led to the detection of the murderers, who have been brought to Calcutta.—Singapore Free Press.

Increase in Real Estate Values.

A little over thirty years ago W. H. Tinker offered to exchange ten acres of land between Jackson, Canada, Fifteenth and Grove streets for fifty lots in the town of Superior, which was then rejoining in a lordly boom. Mr. Tinker was very anxious to effect the trade, but the parties who owned the Superior lots, among whom was Gen. Sanborn, thought they had too good a thing and pool poached the idea. Mr. Tinker offered the same property to Mr. Richard Marvin for \$400, one-fourth cash and the balance on time. Mr. Marvin didn't take kindly to the offer. The ten acres is worth today at least \$200,000. The Superior lots are probably not worth \$5,000. But then, in those days, there were very few people, if any, whose prophetic mind conceived, even remotely, the future growth of St. Paul.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Riddleberger a Good Shot.

A fact not generally known about Senator Riddleberger is that he is the dead shot of the senate. This fact was recently developed by some of his exploits in a shooting gallery not far from the Capitol. The senator and some friends had dropped in for a minutes' quiet sport with the rifle. The others of the party, after several scattering shots, which endangered the lives of the inhabitants of the neighborhood, gave way to the senator, who gave a superb exhibition of marksmanship. He broke with comparative ease the glass balls spinning on an axis, and smashed clay pipes in reckless profusion. His favorite sport, however, was the breaking of gilt balls about an inch in diameter, which were thrown into a fountain, and danced about on top of a little jet of water.—Baltimore American.

A New Fabric.

A new textile has been discovered in Russia on the borders of the Caspian sea. The plant is called knaff by the natives and attains a height of ten feet. From it a chemist has obtained a textile material which is soft, elastic and silky, gives warmth, which is very high and can be bleached without injury. The stuff, manufactured out of knaff can be successfully dyed in every shade of color and would compete with any of the ordinary furnishing materials now in use. But it is particularly for making socks, tarpaulins, ropes, etc., that this new textile, from its cheapness and its extraordinary resisting power, might defy all competition.—New York Telegram.

Five Baby Boys.

A story was told the other day of a prominent lawyer of St. Paul, whose handwriting is none the best, that amused me. It seems that he had just become the happy father of a bouncing baby boy, and in his joy he rushed to a telegraph office and sent the following message to his brother: "Fine baby boy. Mother and boy doing well. His brother immediately telegraphed back: 'Your message reads: Five baby boys. Is there any mistake in the count?'—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Shiloh's catarrh remedy—a positive cure for catarrh, diphtheria and cancer-mouth. For sale by Hough & McManus.

### CHANDLER'S CHASTISEMENT.

Senator Blackburn Congratulated on His Action.

A Washington special says: The Chandler chastisement is the sensation of the winter and formed the sole topic of conversation to-day. Blackburn is universally commended for his action, but it is deeply regretted that he did not soundly thrash the bitter and rancorous New Englander while he was about it. This sentiment is not confined to democrats, for Chandler is as deeply despised within his party as he is outside of it, and there is also a universal feeling of regret that the affair occurred at all, just the thing that Chandler has been seeking to order that he might become a martyr in the eyes of the people of New Hampshire and thus secure a re-election to the senate by the legislature which meets June 18th.

He has all along desired to secure the sympathy of his home people in order to overcome the opposition which has so strongly developed against him in his canvass, and it was to this desire that Senator Coke alluded to when he said in the senate six weeks ago: "I know the senator from New Hampshire wants to be kicked, but I am not going to gratify him by doing it."

The sense of dignity of the senate was so grossly outraged by the occurrence that the senators endeavored to put as good a face upon it as possible, and smoothed it over by saying that Blackburn did not act Chandler from the chair by his ear, but only vigorously pulled that member to emphasize the contempt he felt for him.

Chandler added to his general record to-day by saying that Blackburn did not touch him, but when he found that this downright lie could not stand in the face of the statement of those present that Blackburn had pulled his ear, he of necessity withdrew it.

The press associations have been terribly "soured" on the news last night by endeavoring to get out of their predicament by sending out rose-colored accounts of the trouble this evening, but the best they can do is to get Republican senators Platt and Culbourn to refuse to say anything.

When the senate met to-day Senator Hear walked up and shook hands with Mr. Chandler, and carefully examined his ear. Other republican senators followed suit. The ear was critically and exhaustively studied, and the pages hovered in Chandler's ear and transfixed their gaze upon it. All the democratic senators congratulated Mr. Blackburn and democratic representatives soon began to troop over and shake the Kentuckian's hand. Col. Oates, of Alabama, shook his hand heartily and said:

"Blackburn, you treated the little scoundrel right. I am sorry though, that you did not do more than pull his ear."

Senator Blackburn replied: "Well, Oates, I did all I could do. He caught so cowardly that I could not give him a more severe chastisement."

Senator Blair, Chandler's colleague from New Hampshire, when asked this evening what he thought of the occurrence, said: "It is all right; they can pull Chandler's ear for him if they want to, but they had better not touch mine."

### AN EX-ALABAMIAN

Dies at His Tennessee Home in the Eighteenth Year of his Age.

Birmingham Evening News.

He was, long ago, a famous Alabamian who died a few days ago a Murvill, Tennessee, nearly eighty years of age. He spent most of his life in Jacksonville, in this State, after coming in both branches of the legislature of Alabama in 1844, was elected for the State at large, and voted for Polk and Dallas. In 1853 he was the eloquent and able president of the State Senate. Like Frank Bowden's, his was a wonderfully clear and incisive intellect; his fancy was gorgeous and oratorical powers rarely equalled. He was generous to a fault, and of course a spendthrift, wasting wealth of purse and of genius on trifles. Alabama boasted of no more brilliant jurist and advocate, and this extraordinary man, William B. Murvill, died last week almost unknown and unsung, at the modest home of his fathers in Tennessee. He had survived the generations in which his intellect, industry and eloquence fascinated. When the Joshua of southern politics stopped the sun of civilization and progress, even turning it backward, and of course a dreamer and enthusiast was overwhelmed and now has disappeared forever.

### Home Protection.

While politicians and would be journalists are rending the air with their protection and free trade arguments, there is a great and growing anxiety for a sort of protection that seems especially lacking in our political economy.

It is a protection of our homes. In our thirst for freedom and liberty we have gone into extremes.

Liberty without law is a farce—a hideous delusion.

Better a free land where nothing is safe from the hands of the marauder. Every day we read of horrible tragedies, and most of them are perpetrated where the victims are defenceless and alone.

The land kisses his wife a fond good-bye at morning, leaves for the scene of honest toil; returns at noon to find his house desolate.

Murder and rapine are all too common in this free country of ours where all the vagabonds are unrestrained and the law-abiding are hampered by their sense of right.

The ruffians ought to be set to work. Laboring men seldom possess rapine and murderers. It is the idling, thriftless vagabond that is the scourge of society. There are too many of them drifting about the country, and we should see to it that every man in the community without means must work or walk.—Cedar Bluff Telephone.

Mr. Winston's anti-normal school bill hangs fire in



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## LETTER FROM MONTGOMERY.

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA,  
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**Editor Republican.**—By joint resolution the General Assembly will adjourn sine die Wednesday next and members of the Legislature will soon be among their constituents to give an account for the good or bad legislation they have put upon the country during the session. The present Legislature has been a hard working body and I trust that the legislation of the session, in the main, will prove beneficial to the State. Some mistakes have doubtless been made. Men are fallible. But the general intention is to do right. To judge of the service the present Legislature has been to the people it would be necessary for them to know what the Legislature has prevented from being done as well as what it has done. The jobs killed will not be taken account of, however, and legislators will be held to account only for the acts which will appear in print. At no session of the Legislature that I have attended has the lobby been in such numbers or so persistent to push measures, many of which were of doubtful benefit to the State, to say the least of them. Characters for all kinds of companies have been granted without limit. Some of the companies chartered will materialize and do good. Others will not. Out of all granted the State may derive some benefits and no harm has been done in the passage of any of them except in the waste of time necessary to their passage.

Among the charters granted this week that will be of local advantage to Calhoun is one to incorporate the Anniston Water Supply Co., which proposes to bring water from Cold Water creek into Anniston at once. This will be a costly work and will turn loose much money in that section of the county. Another charter granted is that to the Jacksonville, Williamsport and Anniston Railroad, which will be built from a point on the E. & W. R. R., north of Jacksonville to Anniston by a route that will develop the immense iron deposits along the way. This will also turn loose much money in its construction, and also furnish employment for many men in the mines that will be opened to feed it. The charter allows the railroad to be built into Anniston and Jacksonville on the right of way of any railroad running into either city.

The bill fixing the times of holding the Circuit courts in the 7th Judicial Circuit puts Calhoun last on the list of counties and provides that the "Judge shall hold the court, in his discretion, until the business has been disposed of. This arrangement together with the relief of the docket afforded by the establishment of the Anniston city court, will soon clear the docket in Calhoun and henceforth parties in the circuit court will have speedy trials. Speaking of the city court, it affords me gratification to say that since the disposal of the matter I have received letters from Anniston, Jacksonville and several other points of the county expressing satisfaction over the compromise reached, and for the first time in years there is a prospect that the clash of conflicting interests may cease and that we will have harmony and peace in the county, a state of things that will be promotive of good to the whole county and certainly very pleasant to everybody. The interests of our whole people are so interlocked that no town or section of the county can, without damage to the whole, get and maintain any material advantage over and at the expense of any other section. The rule of right and fair play all around, therefore, is demanded by the best interests of the whole county. Taking this view of the case I am free to say that I am much better pleased at the arrangement made than if my Anniston friends had been sent home without anything at all. The Governor has not yet signed the bill, but he doubtless will, though there is some doubt of the constitutionality of the section allowing to the city court district a rebate as to expenses of the circuit court. The best legal opinion here is to this effect. I thought so myself at the time the arrangement was made and so stated, as did Col. Caldwell, if my memory serves me right; but the friends of the bill wanted it in and their wishes were acceded to. If this section should be declared unconstitutional it is not probable it will affect the life of the court. The court may stand independent of this. The only effect would be to destroy this rebate business and leave the circuit court to be supported as before the passage of the bill.

The road law prepared and passed by Representatives Williams has been in the Senate some days. It has been slightly amended in the Senate and is now on the calendar and will probably pass Monday or Tuesday. It lays a tax of ten cents on the one hundred dollars worth of property for road purposes and provides that the roads shall be repaired by contract, no contractor being allowed to bid on any contract for less than all the roads in one beat. This is to enable contractors to go to the expense of buying road scrapers, mules, carts, tools, etc. The road workers are between the ages of 18 and 45. These are required to work four days during each year, (one day

each quarter) or pay one dollar for each day they do not work. A man may partly work and partly pay. The contractor is furnished a list of road workers by the supervisor of each beat and he is charged with these at the rate of one dollar a day for four days in the year. If a man refuses to pay or work, he is returned to a Justice of the Peace as a road defaulter now are. The bill also allows the Commissioners Court to work the county convicts on the public roads at a sum not less than 30 cents per day. The bill leaves much of detail to the court of county commissioners and its success will very much depend upon their administration of the law. An increase of the criminal jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace throughout the county, which has been given by another bill, will, it is thought, secure a more vigorous enforcement of the law as to misdemeanors and supply the county much material for road working. This latter bill gives justices jurisdiction in cases of disturbing public worship, vulgar and obscene language in presence of females, shooting across or along the public highways, and kindred misdemeanors enumerated as well as some cases of petit larceny, though it provides that the justices may bind over to the circuit court in cases of a grave nature. The road law does not go into effect until January 1st 1890, except as to the second section which provides for the levy and collection of the tax necessary to work the roads. Until that time the old road law of the State remains in force.

Since I wrote last a bill has passed both houses which provides that the tax reduction of five mills shall take effect this year upon the taxes now being assessed. A further reduction of like amount next year is provided by the tax bill. These two reductions together cover the amount raised by the road law, and so, after next year, the people of Calhoun will pay the same tax as they now pay and have a road fund of thousands of dollars annually with which to improve the public roads besides.

The immigration bill which some of us fought in the Senate, but which passed the Senate by a majority of two, has died in the Agricultural committee of the house. The farmers in that body as in the Senate are opposed to it. It claims to be for their benefit, but it is not. It is only a job to get money out of the treasury for booming purposes, and if any benefit at all were derived from the expenditure, the booming towns and not the rural districts would be beneficiaries. The impression is fast gaining ground that the Agricultural department of the State, which is now making so many demands upon the treasury for an immigration fund and clerks at good salaries, is striving to become the biggest department in the capital, not so much for the benefit of the farmers as to further political schemes, and for this reason some of us are resisting its demands, and it may be added, the farmers of the legislature are backing us in it.

Representative Williams has been sick in bed, but is now up and able to attend to his duties. The two houses of the General Assembly met in joint session to-day, February 25th, and elected Mr. J. H. King, of Anniston, solicitor of the new city court. Both the Governor and I received telegrams this morning from Mr. J. J. Willett announcing the fact that Mr. Johnson of the firm of Caldwell & Johnson, of Anniston, would consent to serve as Judge of the new court. The Governor will appoint him. He knows and has long known him as a man of pure life and fine legal requirements and can appoint him without derogation to any of the candidates for the place, as it has been understood all along that he would not have opposition if he would consent to serve. There are several candidates for Clerk of the Court. This office will be at the disposal of the Judge of the court.

A House bill to allow stock law elections for any beat in Calhoun county upon the application to the Probate Judge of not less than fifty freeholders and householders, passed the Senate to-day, Feb. 25th. This stock law question is thus left to the people of the districts to be affected by a stock law. Senate bills also passed the House to-day to amend the charter of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Company, and to regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of Calhoun county.

The Senate passed Tuesday the House bill to incorporate the Piedmont High school. The House has passed the Senate bill to amend the charter of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Co. The Senate bill to fix mileage of County Commissioners of Calhoun is on House calendar and will pass to-day, or Thursday, no doubt, as will also Senate bill to regulate the fine and forfeiture fund of Calhoun county.

The bill to pay County Commissioners of Calhoun county mileage when attending special terms of court has passed both houses.

L. W. G.  
The farmers of this section are busy preparing their soil for another crop. We hope to see more corn and wheat raised this year and not so much cotton. Let the farmers try this year to make their own bread and meat, and not have their smokehouse and corn crib in the West.

Shiloh's cure will immediately relieve croup, whooping cough and Bronchitis.

The Legislature adjourned Thursday night.

**AN ACT**  
To enlarge the criminal jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace in Calhoun County, Alabama.  
Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That in addition to the authority vested in Justices of the Peace under Section 4238 of the code of Alabama, Justices of the Peace in said Calhoun and Calhoun counties, he and they are hereby authorized to take cognizance of and exercise jurisdiction in the trial of the following misdemeanors, viz: Abuse, insulting and obscene language (section 3705); disturbing public assemblies and schools; shooting along or across public roads; (section 4005); removing or defacing mile posts and guide boards (see ion 3801); injuring or defacing public buildings or fences (section 3885); destroying sheep killing dogs and hogs (section 4173); trading in farm products after night (section 4141); racing along public roads (section 4007); tramps and petit larceny when the article stolen does not exceed twenty-five dollars in value. Provided, That said Justices of the Peace shall in no case impose a fine of more than fifty dollars or sentence to hard labor for more than six months; and provided further, that nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to prevent said Justices of the Peace from exercising their prerogative of binding offenders for their appearance to the circuit court of said counties when, in their judgment, the gravity of the offense demands the infliction of a greater degree of punishment than is herein provided for.

The above act has passed both Houses of the General Assembly at the present session and is now a law.

## OBITUARY.

In memory of Brother James Hollingsworth, who died at his home near Jacksonville, Ala., on the 1st day of January, 1890. He was born April 11th, 1815, in Pickensville, S. C., and moved to Alabama April 11th, 1833, and was married to Miss Elizabeth Sullivan, July 12th, 1845, and has been a good and faithful citizen until his death. He professed faith in Christ in early age, though did not unite with the church until last year. He was baptized the 18th of November, 1888, into the Baptist church and lived a good and faithful member, a bright and shining light to all that knew him. His conversation was on the subject of Christ and his great love for fellow man. I often visited him after my acquaintance with him. When he desired to join the Baptist church, he requested me to go and spend the night with him. It was very cold on the morning he desired to go to the water. I requested him to wait until it was warmer to be baptized, and he said, "I have made up my mind to be baptized today, cold as it may be. God never commanded us to do anything and then punish us for doing it." He was very feeble, though God blessed him in the effort to obey the command of our blessed Savior. He was made happy and rejoiced to know that God had spared him to obey him in such a late hour. He admonished all that was present to live for God and honor his claim. He was a kind and affectionate husband and father, one that was worthy of imitation by those he left behind to mourn the loss of such a worthy father. The way was plain in his way, he was resigned to the will of God. I often heard him say he was waiting the will of the Lord to be baptized, and he was permitted to the beloved ones behind he would say, "Weep not for me; while it is the loss of a husband and father, it is his eternal gain." He leaves a kind and affectionate son and two sons and one daughter to mourn his loss, though look up, the bright day will soon dawn to those behind. He has gone to his home above where we will soon meet him.

A. J. WEST.  
Where the Negroes Will Go.  
A country newspaper in Louisiana, in discussing one phase of the race question, says:  
It is unquestionable that there has been growing in the negro mind, for several years, a sense of indignation which has been to some extent encouraged by labor, real estate and railroad passenger agents. The Virginian has written to go to Carolina, and the Carolina negro to Alabama, and the Alabama negro to Georgia, and the Georgia negro to Mississippi, and the Mississippi negro to Louisiana, and the Louisiana negro to Arkansas, and the Arkansas negro to—did you ever see a hoop snake?  
One of these fine days there will be a great flapping of black wings and forever thereafter two negroes in the same township will be as rare as a flock of black sheep.  
The negro will never emigrate in wholesale numbers to a very distant region. Undoubtedly there is a migratory impulse beginning to make itself felt among them, but it works along certain lines, and it will not at any one remove carry them very far from their old homes.  
As the New Orleans Picayune pointed out the other day, the negroes are gradually moving in squads southwestward. They hunt sunny climes and rich soils, where nature is the tiler and man the idler. From the Piedmont slope they drift to the black belts along the gulf and beyond the Mississippi. They will go into the Indian territory, Arizona and New Mexico. Possibly in the course of a century or so, they will almost entirely disappear from the south Atlantic states and congregate in the southwest, where they can enjoy a sort of drowsy domination, observing in a fashion fifty-two Sundays in the year and setting aside the remaining days for holiday festivities. What they want is a land of perpetual summer, where they can milk the trees, booze on pulque, and reap ready-made harvests and wear nothing but nothing.

It may not come to this, but there is a drift of things in that direction.—Atlanta Constitution.

## ALABAMA GROWING MORAL.

The Legislature Passes An Anti-Pool Bill.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., February 22.—The Legislature of this State is considerably worked up over the passage of the anti-pool bill by the Alabama legislature. The bill which has been passed by both houses, prohibits the sale of pools in this State on sporting events happening outside the State. The bill was introduced by Mr. Sedgwick of Mobile. There has been considerable complaint among the people of Mobile about the promiscuous and continual sale of pools in that city, where a pool room was established by a party named "The Anti-Pool Bill" not pretty strong opposition from the fraternity, who wanted Birmingham and Montgomery excluded from the operation of the bill. The bill passed the house first, and on reaching the senate it was amended so as to exclude Birmingham and Jefferson county. The house refused to concur in the amendment, and the senate receded from its action and passed it without amendment. A large delegation from the Jockey club of Birmingham and other sporting men from other cities and sections of the State are here today, and are making a powerful effort to get a reconsideration. It is urged by the fraternity that the bill will kill the state fair, which is to be held in Birmingham next fall. It is not likely that a reconsideration can be had, however, as the Legislature will adjourn finally next Wednesday, and has only four more working days. The bill does not prohibit the sale of pools on races or other sporting events occurring in Alabama.

**Our Baby.**  
Our baby, when two months old, was attacked with scrofula, which for a long time destroyed her eyesight entirely, and caused us to despair of her life. The doctors failed to relieve her, and we gave Swift's Specific, which cured her entirely, and she is now hale and hearty.

E. V. DELK,  
Will's Point, Texas.

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S. A. DEARMAN,  
Cleveland, Tenn.

**Poison Oak.**  
In surveying I accidentally handled a poison oak vine, and in a few hours the usual eruption and swelling appeared. My face was swollen and disfigured, and my hands and arms seriously affected. I took Swift's Specific and it promptly cured me, and I have had no return of it, though this was five years ago. S. S. S. cured my son of the same poison.

E. A. BELL,  
Anderson, S. C., Oct. 16, 1888.

Swift's Specific has cured me of a malignant breaking out on my leg, which caused intolerable pain. It was called Eczema by the doctors—four of whom treated me with no relief. I candidly confess that I owe my present good health to S. S. S., which in my estimation is invaluable as a blood remedy.

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J. M. VANSANDT & CO.  
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**NOTICE NO. 5431.**  
LAND OFFICE, AT MONTGOMERY, ALA.  
January 19th, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on March 1st, 1890, viz: E. J. HARRIS, of the 1st section of the 1st township of the 1st range of the 1st district of the 1st county of the State of Alabama, to the land of the 1st section of the 1st township of the 1st range of the 1st district of the 1st county of the State of Alabama, containing 120 acres.

E. J. HARRIS, Register.

**SHOW CASES**  
TERRY SHOW CASE CO., Nashville, Tenn.

**Cheap Money.**  
As correspondent of the Loan Co., of Alabama, I can offer money on improved farms at reduced rates.

H. L. STEVENSON.  
July 14th

**B. G. McCLELEN,**  
County --- Surveyor  
Alexandria, Ah.

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Rose jars, 75 cents to \$2.  
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Silver Plated Teaspoons per set 60 cents.  
Silver Plated Tablespoons per set \$1.25.  
Silver Plated Knives per set \$1.25.  
Silver Plated Forks per set \$1.25.  
Tea Cups and Saucers per set 20 cents.  
Tumblers per set 20 cents.  
Bowls and Pitchers 75 cents.  
Handsomely decorated China cups and saucers \$1.00 per set.  
Fancy painted and colored tumblers very stylish, one dozen in a box, from \$1.00 to \$2.00.  
Jelly glasses and Mason's fruit jars at bottom prices.  
Decorated dinner sets from \$15 to \$30.  
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For most light with least oil, use the Rochester Triple Burner. Old lamps fitted with these burners for 75 cents.  
A big stock of library and hall lamps, very handsome, at from \$2.50 to \$15.  
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The Rochester lamp is the best and the best next. Big stock of both at New York prices.  
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The best and safest kitchen lamp for 50 cents.  
Scollop top chinureys all sizes 5c. each.  
The Ross Patent Refrigerator is the only guaranteed dry cold air refrigerator manufactured. If you want the best at the lowest price, don't fail to examine the "Ross" before buying.  
A fine 4qt. ice cream freezer, Gooch's Peerless, for \$3 each. Your last chance to get a freezer of this kind at the price.  
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GADSDEN, ALA.  
July 28th

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**Administrators Sale of Land.**  
Under and by virtue of an order of sale, heretofore granted by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Alfred Forney, deceased, will sell at public outcry before the Court House door on Friday the 22nd day of February 1890, between the legal hours of sale the following described land, to-wit: N 1/2 of Sec 24, T. 14, R. 8, east, and Lot 51 in the new plan of the town of Jacksonville, all in Calhoun county, Alabama, containing 120 acres.

S. D. G. BROTHERS,  
Administrator.  
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**NOTICE NO. 5469.**  
LAND OFFICE, AT MONTGOMERY, ALA.  
January 17th, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on March 1st, 1890, viz: E. J. HARRIS, of the 1st section of the 1st township of the 1st range of the 1st district of the 1st county of the State of Alabama, to the land of the 1st section of the 1st township of the 1st range of the 1st district of the 1st county of the State of Alabama, containing 120 acres.

E. J. HARRIS, Register.

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July 14th

**B. G. McCLELEN,**  
County --- Surveyor  
Alexandria, Ah.

## Notice to Non-Residents.

Brothers, Willett & Willett,  
vs.  
M. W. McCraw & Co., Debtors.  
The Ala. Car Works, Garnishers,  
Phillips & Buttrif Mfg Co., et  
als., claimants.

State of Alabama, Calhoun county, in Circuit Court.

It appearing that the above entitled cause was instituted in said court by the issuance of a writ of Garnishment directed to the Alabama Car Works, commanding it to answer, whether at the time of the service of the Garnishment, or at any time intervening the time of serving the garnishment and making the answer, it was indebted to the defendants and whether it will not be indebted in future to defendants by a contract then existing it is liable to defendants for the delivery of personal property or which is payable in personal property and whether it has not in its possession or under its control money or effects belonging to the defendants. That said Alabama Car Works answered that on Nov. 1st 1887, it was indebted to defendants in the sum of Four Hundred 00-100 Dollars. That Phillips & Buttrif Manufacturing Co., of Nashville, Tenn., Mrs. Amanda Phillips, of Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Alice Baggett of St. Augustine, Fla., have some claim to said sum of money so due. This is said sum of money to the said Phillips & Buttrif Manufacturing Co., and to the said Mrs. Amanda Phillips, of Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Alice Baggett of St. Augustine, Fla., to appear at the next term of the court to be held in said county on the 25th day of February 1889 and propound their claim to said sum of money due from said Alabama Car Works. Given under my hand this 24th day of November 1889.

JNO. P. WEAVER,  
Clerk Cir. Court.

## In Chancery.

STATE OF ALABAMA,  
Calhoun county,  
Woodstock Iron Co.,  
Anniston City Land Co.,  
vs.  
A. H. Humphries,  
N. E. Humphries.

In Chancery at Jacksonville, Ala., 9th District, N. E. Chancery Division. In this cause, it is made to appear to the Register, by the affidavit of G. B. Shelton, Sheriff of Calhoun county, that the Defendant A. H. Humphries is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and that his residence is unknown to the plaintiff, further, that, in the belief of said sheriff, the defendant is over the age of twenty-one years. It is therefore ordered by the Register, that publication be made in the Jacksonville Republican a newspaper published in the county of Calhoun, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him the said A. H. Humphries to plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 21st day of February 1890, or, in thirty days thereafter a decree of confession may be taken against him. Done at office, in Jacksonville this 17th day of January 1890.

W. M. HAINES,  
Register.

## Commissioner's Sale.

Under and by virtue of an order heretofore made by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, the undersigned Commissioner appointed by said court, will sell at public outcry before the court house door, for cash, on Monday the 25th day of February 1890, between the legal hours of sale the following described property to-wit: Lots Nos. 25, 26 and 27 in the new plan of the town of Jacksonville, Alabama, in Sec. 13, T. 14, R. 8, east, in Calhoun county, containing five acres more or less, and known as the old town lot. Sold for division among the present owners, Mrs. Josephine A. Adams and Jas. A. Gladden.

JNO. P. WEAVER,  
Commissioner.

## Sheriff's Sale.

Under and by virtue of an execution issued from the Chancery Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, on the 14th day of February, 1890, against Ira C. Hill and others in favor of J. M. Vansandt & Co., I will proceed to sell at public outcry before the court house door in the town of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Alabama, on Monday, the 18th day of March, 1890, to the highest bidder for cash, within the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate property to-wit: Fractions 6, 7, 8, 10 and 11, in Sec. 35, T. 12, R. 8, east and also lots Nos. 8 and 9 in Douthitt plan, also known as the new map of Jacksonville, Ala., as Nos. 101 and 102, near the depot of the E. F. V. & G. R. in the town of Jacksonville, Ala., said land containing about two hundred and 300 acres, and said lots being 10 rods wide and 32 long, each running back north from Depot street, and bounded south by Depot street on east by lot No. 10 which sold by Wm. Cook to Brittain, on west by C. W. Brewster lot and on north, lands now owned by V. L. Veir, leased on as the property of Mrs. Emaline Cook, for the satisfaction of said execution.

L. P. CARPENTER,  
Sheriff.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Letters testamentary under the last will and testament of Joshua Draper, Sr., having been granted to the undersigned on the 10th day of January, 1890, by the Hon. L. P. Cook, Judge of the Court of Probate for Calhoun county, State of Alabama, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate, be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or thus the same will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate are respectfully requested to pay the same.

ANNE E. DRAPER,  
EDWARD T. CLARK,  
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## SPECIAL NOTICE

To the Stockholders of the Jacksonville, Ga. & Atlanta R. R. Co.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the said Railway Company will be held on Tuesday, April 2nd, at the office of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Co., in Jacksonville, Alabama, for the purpose of electing officers, ratifying the action of the board of directors had at a meeting on the 15th day of February, granting certain rights and property to the Jacksonville, Williamsport & Anniston Railway Co., and to transact whatever other business may come before them.

JNO. D. HAMMOND,  
Secretary.  
Feb 23-30d.

## Jacksonville Planning Mill.

Dressed lumber of all kinds, such as flooring, edging, weatherboarding, etc. Always on hand. Orders promptly filled. Address Jacksonville Planning Mill, Jacksonville, Ala.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Letters of Administration upon the estate of Nathan Cobb, deceased, being granted to the undersigned by the Hon. E. P. Cook, Judge of the Probate Court of Calhoun county, on the 8th day of February, 1890, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate, will be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or they will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate are respectfully requested to pay the same.

E. M. REID, J. P.  
MORRISVILLE, ALA.

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C. B. GIBSON,  
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## TAX NOTICE.

Assessor's Second Round.

I will be at the places the days mentioned below for the purpose of assessing the State, County and Poll Taxes for the year 1890, for Calhoun county, State of Alabama. All persons subject to taxation under the law are earnestly requested to meet me promptly at my appointments on this second round, with a full list of property, with its full cash value, with correct numbers of lands and town lots in every case, as required by law.

According to law all persons are required to give in their own property, or by an authorized agent. Parties giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.

BEAT.

17 DeArmanville, Monday, March 4.

12 Choccolocco, Tuesday March 5.

12 Davisville, Wednesday March 6.

11 White Plains, Thursday March 7.

10 Rabbit Town, Friday March 8.

10 Morgan's Store, Saturday March 9.

16 Wilson's Store, Monday March 11.

10 Ladiga, Tuesday March 12.

10 Pleasant, Wednesday & Thursday March 13 and 14.

8 Allsup Friday March 15.

8 Green's School House, Saturday March 16.

1 Jacksonville, Monday & Tuesday March 18 and 19.

3 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday March 20.

7 Weaver's Station, Thursday March 21.

15 Anniston, Friday and Saturday March 22 and 23.

13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.

4 Ganaway's, Wednesday March 27.

4 Bynum's, Thursday March 28.

14 Sulphur Springs, Friday March 29.

5 Polkville, Saturday March 30.



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The many friends of Mr. W. H. Hammond are glad to see him on the street again after a serious spell of sickness.

Quarterly Conference will be held at the Methodist church Saturday and Sunday, by Rev. Dr. West, Presiding Elder.

The "Salamagundi Mite Society," which met at the Iron Queen hotel last Monday night, was largely attended and highly enjoyed by all.

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Miss Willie Aderholt, daughter of Mr. Jonas Aderholt, died at the home of her father in this place last Saturday night of typhoid pneumonia.

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Winnie Green.  
Bluebell Lane.  
Udine Lane.  
Myrtle Larmer.  
Eula Matthews.  
Carl Monk.  
Floy Montgomery.  
Frank Privett.  
Lizzie Privett.  
Jeff Sox.  
F. C. Stevenson.  
Mattie Swan.  
Carrie Turner.  
J. T. Usry.  
Mary Ward.  
Jessie Warlick.  
Lillie Weems.  
Lutie Weems.  
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A prominent physician who wishes his name not given, says: "A patient of mine whose case of tertiary syphilis was surely killing him, and which no treatment seemed to check, was cured with about twelve bottles of B. B. B. He was fairly made up of skin and bones and terrible ulcers."

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## A HOUSE WITH A HISTORY.

The Mansion immortalized by Washington and Hancock to Be Told Down.

I clambered down from the summit of Washington Heights, and while studying the colossus of an aged dwelling was shocked by beholding a garish poster that announced the sale by auction of the adjacent Lynch estate. Had a circus bill been flaunted from the walls of a church there would have seemed no whit more sacrilege. It was here in this old landmark—namely, the mansion house of the famed Mme. Jumel, that Fitz Greene Halleck beheld "At midnight, in his guarded tent, the Turk was drawing of the hour when Greece, her knee in supplication bent, should tremble at his power." Here it was that he composed the immortal poem "Marco Bozzaris," and where the poet realized that "An hour passed on—the Turk awoke; that bright dream was his last; he awoke—to hear his sentries shriek, 'To arms! they counsel the Greek the Greek!'"

Not only is this storied old wooden structure thus immortalized; its history is likewise wrapped within the pages of the history of our land. Pity 'tis that Halleck's river improvements, which make the ground therabouts so inestimably valuable, should be sacrificed to utilitarian demands; yet such it must be, owing to its magnificent situation at the terminus of the Sixth avenue "L" road, the Suburban Rapid Transit road and the New York and Northern road, together with the advantages by water, owing to facilities acquired by the creation of most spacious dockage. Within these walls Mme. Jumel lived—an heiress born at sea between France and the West Indies in 1769, and who died in New York July 16, 1865.

At 17 years of age Eliza—that was her Christian name—eloped with and married Col. Peter Croix, a British officer, and in moving to New York city became, through her extraordinary beauty and talents, the friend and favorite of many distinguished men of the age. At the death of Col. Croix she married Stephen Jumel, a French wine merchant, and removing with him to Paris, became a leader of fashion under the patronage of the Marquis de Lafayette. Although her husband's wealth was enormous, in a few years she exhausted by her extravagance a large portion of his fortune.

Returning to this country she devoted herself to his restoration, and with such success that she soon regained more than had been dissipated. Shortly after these experiences Jumel died and then it was she linked her name with that of Aaron Burr, one of the most picturesque characters in the annals of American statesmanship. She had been acquainted with him in her youth. Now she sought his aid and advice. At the time he was 53 years of age, but in 1800 they were married.

Through Texan speculations Burr lost a large sum of Mme. Jumel's money, which she had placed in his hands a few days after the wedding, and, as a result, she filed a complaint against him and the separation ensued, although there was no divorce. Recently the Jumel estate has been divided and sold as city lots, but the mansion upon it, which I have described, erected by Col. Roder Morris in 1758, still stands, and although the sale of the Lynch estate, at the Real Estate Exchange, may be the beginning of its eventual downfall, the memory of its historic walls will be perpetuated to all time. Washington has made it fragrant with tales of the Revolution, for in it he made his headquarters; there Mme. Jumel, who purchased it in 1810, entertained Joseph Bonaparte, Moreau and many other men of distinction.—New York Herald.

A Story of a Congressman's Recd. Reed stood one day in front of the Hamilton house, on Fourteenth street, where he lives. There is a hill there, not steep, but sometimes slippery. A colored man was urging a horse attached to a heavily loaded wagon. Twice the animal slipped and fell, and the driver beat the beast with his whip. Presently Reed stepped forward. In that sharp, twanging voice so often heard and generally feared in the house he commanded the negro to desist. The man again raised his whip, when Reed's big arm swung out and caught the driver's wrist in a strong grasp. Reed held him thus as in a vise for one full minute, pouring out such a flood of reproof as that colored man had never before heard. The man winced, and finally, physically and morally. And the end of the incident was a drawing of the wagon to one side of the street. Reed, assisting the driver therein, and a sending of the poor horse away to the blacksmith to have new shoes put on his old feet.—Washington Letter.

Legal Rights of a Bicycleist. A case has been decided by the court of appeals of Rhode Island affirming the decision of a lower court which laid down the law that a cyclist has the same right on a road that a man has who drives a horse and wagon. A cyclist and a man driving a wagon approached each other on a road. The cyclist turned to the right, but the man driving the horse refused to turn out. There was a collision. The court decided that the driver of the horse had violated the law by not driving reasonably to the right of the traveled center of the highway.—Kingston Freeman.

Twice to Salad and No More. Dr. Anthony Ruppener usually helps the members and guests to salad at the supper of the Goethe club. The doctor has made a rule that is well known among his fellow members never to invite a guest a second time who asks to be helped to salad more than twice. I am told that among the many who have enjoyed the club's hospitality at the doctor's invitation only one has been tabooed from further entertainment by the enforcement of this rule, and to this day he is in doubt as to the cause of the sudden coldness in the doctor's treatment of him.—New York Star.

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## A LITTLE BUTTERCUP.

SHE IS QUEEN AMONG THE JACK-TARS AT THE NAVY YARD.

Miss Della Robinson, the Yankee Bumbout Woman, Who Has All the Times and None of the Follies of Gilbert and Sullivan's Little Buttercup.

When Messrs. Gilbert and Sullivan first introduced their nautical comic opera of "Pinafore" to an American public one of the most taking characters that aided toward the success of the distinctively English production was that of Little Buttercup.

Little Buttercup was represented to be what, among the hardened tars of the queen's navy, is commonly known as a "bumbout" woman, whose mode of obtaining a livelihood is by going aboard the different war vessels and supplying the crews with tobacco or knickknacks of general use from a stock carried in a basket or receptacle upon each arm. The idea of a lone woman venturing among an army of sailors and blasphemous followers of these to sell her little wares and run the risk of meeting with no polite treatment, as the bumbout woman was pictured, seemed quite a novelty for Americans who saw the opera of "Pinafore." Thus, it may come as somewhat of a surprise and an interesting point of information to be made known that the late war of progressive Uncle Sam has not only become identified with a veritable bumbout woman, but with a Little Buttercup whose avocation is that of the identical Buttercup of Messrs. Gilbert and Sullivan's characterization.

HER PATRONS RESPECT HER. The modern bumbout woman who is now gaining local fame and any number of ready patrons to her stock in trade, can be seen at present almost any day upon her rounds among the ships of the United States navy anchored in the navy yard in Brooklyn. She usually appears about midday with a basket on each arm filled with palatable pies and cakes and a good supply of bottled beer and temperance drinks, which she readily disposes of among the crew of the war ships, and to all is simply known as "Little Buttercup."

It is said "Little Buttercup's" profit easily amounts to five and six dollars a day alone from the sales of her good things among the jolly tars of the warship Boston, who number over 350, irrespective of the officers. From Commander Francis M. Ramsey down to the most ordinary seaman, "Little Buttercup," instead of being the butt of the ship's crew and target of their unfriendly jokes, as might be supposed, is recognized and looked upon as one of the most worthy of her sex.

The income derived from her occupation goes to support her aged mother and father, who reside in a small house in what is called Irish town, a quarter mainly inhabited by natives of the Emerald Isle and lying just on the outside of the navy yard.

"Little Buttercup's" real name is Della Robinson, and her father, who lost one of his legs in the late war, had a small pension granted to him that he barely goes to secure him a comfortable subsistence. When Della first went to the navy yard to sell her wares some of the most hardened members of one of the crews attempted to take liberties with her. They bantered her upon her good looks, attempted to purloin a pie or bottle of beer when her back was turned, and one Jack Tar in particular even ventured to approach Little Buttercup for the purpose of chasing her under the chin and planting a kiss upon her pretty cheek. This latter affront was more than Della cared to put up with, and dropping her stock in trade she planted a stinging blow between the eyes of the foolhardy sailor that sent him reeling over the deck as if struck by a marlin spike in the hands of one of his own shipmates.

From this out "Little Buttercup" has never had occasion to expect affront, ill treatment or disrespect at the hands of any of Uncle Sam's tars, whether high or low, and her coming is as eagerly looked for in the navy yard as the stroke of the bell announcing all hands to dinner. If any of the Bolton's crew have not the money at hand "Little Buttercup" is not the one to refuse them the pleasure of enjoying her pies, cakes or beer on trust. The bumbout woman relies upon their honesty and knows that when the paymaster makes his customary visit her accounts will not be overlooked. In fact, there are no bills paid by the sailors at the navy yard before those of poor "Little Buttercup."

"Little Buttercup," while disposing of her wares among the marines, sailors and officers at the navy yard, in dress and bearing is strictly the commonplace appearing bumbout woman of business, with a pleasant smile for one customer and a friendly greeting for some tar who has returned from a week's furlough. When at home or in social circles, the identity of the "Little Buttercup" of Uncle Sam's navy is completely lost in the personality of Miss Della Robinson. Instead of the usual conditioned individual of Messrs. Gilbert and Sullivan's characterization, one beholds a really handsome young miss of 19 years, with classical features, natural blonde hair, a full and strikingly symmetrical and compact figure and manners appropriate for a duchess.—New York Journal.

Poor Father. Having lost his wife when his little girl was but 6 years old, Sandy McPherson married again. His new wife was very kind to Maggie, the little girl, but she ruled Sandy with a rod of iron.

An old lady meeting Maggie on her way to school, kissed the little miss warmly, bought her a big box of sweets and said:

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Administrator's Sale of Land. Under and by virtue of a decree rendered on the 11th day of February 1889, by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, the undersigned Administrator of the estate of S. D. McClellan deceased, will sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder on the premises of the old homestead on Tallapoosa creek between the legal hours of sale on Monday March 11th 1890 the following described lands to-wit: The SW 1/4 of Sec. 13, T. 14, R. 7, east, except that part in the Big Island. The SE 1/4 of same Sec. except 33 acres on north end; the NW 1/4 and W 1/2 of NE 1/4, Sec. 24, T. 14, R. 7, east; and the E 1/2 of NW 1/4, Sec. 15, T. 14, R. 8; the last lot near Cedar Springs containing in all about 625 acres. Also on Monday March 18th 1890 I will sell in the town of Piedmont (Cross Springs), 1 acre situated in the NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 8, T. 13, R. 10, east; and also an undivided half interest in a brickyard in said town containing two acres more or less. The lands to be sold for the purpose of paying the indebtedness of the estate and for division.

Terms of Sale.—One third cash and the balance on a credit one and two years with interest from date of purchase and security as the law directs. The lands on Tallapoosa creek are convenient to three railroads.

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**TAX NOTICE.**

Assessor's Second Round.

I will be at the places the days  
mentioned below for the purpose of  
assessing the State, County and Poll  
Taxes for the year 1889, for Calhoun  
county, State of Alabama. All per-  
sons subject to taxation under the  
law are earnestly requested to meet  
me promptly at my appointments on  
this second round, with a full list  
of property, with its full cash value,  
with correct numbers of lands and  
town lots in every case, as required  
by law.

According to law all persons are  
required to give in their own prop-  
erty, or by an authorized agent. Part-  
ies giving in their poll tax must  
bring the number of their Township  
and range.

DEAT.

17 DeArmanville, Monday, March

12 Choccoloco, Tuesday March 5.

12 Deville, Wednesday March 6.

11 White Plains, Thursday March 7.

10 Rabbit Town, Friday March 8.

10 Morgan's Store, Saturday March

9 Wilson's Store, Monday March

16 Ladiga, Tuesday March 12.

9 Piedmont, Wednesday & Thurs-

day March 13 and 14.

8 Green's School House, Saturday

March 16.

1 Jacksonville, Monday & Tues-

day March 18 and 19.

3 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday

March 20.

3 Weaver's Station, Thursday

March 21.

13 Aniston, Friday and Saturday

March 22 and 23.

13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday,

March 25 and 26.

4 Ganaway's, Wednesday March

27.

4 Bynum's, Thursday March 28.

14 Sulphur Springs, Mar. Friday 29.

5 Polkville, Saturday March 30.

2 Alexandria, Monday and Tues-

day April 1 and 2.

18 Onatohle Station, Wednesday

April 3.

18 Griffin's Store, Thursday April

4.

6 Peck's Hill, Friday April 5.

7 Hollingsworth's, Saturday April

6.

J. V. RHODES,

Tax Assessor.

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**ELLIS & STEVENSON**

**Attorneys at Law,**

Anniston, Alabama.

**Re-Sale of Land.**

Under and by virtue of a decree  
of the Probate Court of Calhoun  
county, Ala., entered on Jan 26, 1889,  
the undersigned commissioners will  
again offer for sale to the highest bid-  
der at public outcry before the court  
house door in Jacksonville Alabama,  
on Monday, the 11th day of March,  
1889, the following real estate, owned  
jointly by the heirs at law, of James  
H. Privett, Deceased, to-wit: The  
SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 and twenty (20) acres  
off of the north end of the NW 1/4 of  
of SW 1/4 and NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of  
and NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, all of section 25,  
township 14 and range 8, east, and  
also the following: Commencing in  
the middle of the creek where the  
Jacksonville and Oxford road crosses  
mill creek, thence east 5 rods to  
the section line, thence north with  
said section line, 8 rods to the Priv-  
ett gate, thence along and with said  
Jacksonville Road to the beginning,  
containing three acres more or less,  
in Section 25, Township 14 Range 8,  
all in Calhoun county, Alabama,  
about two miles south of Jackson-  
ville, and containing in all 122  
acres, more or less. Terms of  
sale, one third cash, balance on a  
credit of one and two years, in two  
equal payments, with interest from  
day of sale. Notes and good secu-  
rity will be required.

(H. F. MONTGOMERY,

Com'rs. C. D. MARTIN,

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**NOTICE NO. 6431**

LAND OFFICE, AT MONTGOMERY, ALA.

January 16th, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the follow-  
ing named settler has filed notice of his intention  
to make final proof in support of his claim  
and that said proof will be made before the  
Judge of the Probate Court, at Jacksonville,  
Ala., March 4, 1889, viz: Peter S. Fluittier,  
homestead entry No 2172, for the SW 1/4 of  
NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, S. 2, E. 1,  
T. 14, R. 8, E.

He names the following witnesses to prove  
his continuous residence upon and cultivation  
of said land viz: David C. Hyatt,  
Edward Caldwell, Joseph A. Galloway, George  
W. Clements, all of Jacksonville, Ala.

J. G. BARRIS, Register.

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## THE ONLY ONE PRICE

One of the first of his conclusions has therefore been: "One thing is certain, I must either increase sales or reduce expenses." After carefully considering the latter expedient, he finds, (if a good manager) but little room for improvement. Inferior accommodations or help he usually decides will prove poor economy. He is therefore shut out of the "increase sales" idea. But that's the "rub." How is it to be accomplished? It is honest, he will not stoop, to the "fake" of a mock "closing out" sale that doesn't close out. Neither will he adopt the other method of reduction of prices that are not bona fide, but only pretended.

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Has been completed and will be formally opened to the public July 15th. This hotel has been built by a company at large expense, especially to accommodate the large influx of summer visitors to Jacksonville every year. It has all modern conveniences, such as hot and cold baths, gas light and electric call bells in every room and is elegantly upholstered from top to bottom. The hotel will be kept to a high standard of excellence and comfort of guests will be carefully looked after. Rates of board from \$22.50 to \$35.00 per month. Special rates made to families. For further information address

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In addition to my stock kept at the old stand beyond the Depot, I have recently placed a nice and select stock of DRY GOODS and GROCERIES at the Woodward corner on the public square, where my customers can be well served.

New Goods---Select Stock.

Call and examine my stock at either store before purchasing elsewhere.

T. R. WARD.

## THE QUEEN'S FORESTER.

They chose me for my sturdy frame,  
That so tall and strong  
For my swift step, and my sure aim—  
She chose him for his song  
And sing he doth, and sing he sing,  
And in her eyes revealed  
I know a song, a fairer thing  
Than speaks from food or drink.

I hear his heart beat through the air,  
Nodding and grand;  
I see the light that faces wear,  
But cannot understand.

My face is ruddiest brown, but white  
The brow, and passing high;  
He smiles and sings, and the moon's light,  
Like a first love, I lie.

I wish I loved more than than sleep,  
Since more than sleep I find  
I wish my suffering love were  
More deep my gladness were.

And yet this heart, much peasant hand  
And brain and heart I'd spend  
If I, I might have my hand  
Beside you at the end.

Might not the eagle point one way,  
And I, I might point another?  
Unite me and body they  
Yet had they not a Queen?

—May Kendall in Longman's.

MEG.

There was nothing rare or fine about her. On the contrary, there was a great deal of the animal in her face; a touch of the man in her pose, a bold suggestion of the woman in the cheap jewelry at ears and neck, and an unmistakable air of the circus in her tout ensemble. Her eyes were gray and full. Bold eyes they were, that seemed to belong of right to the over full lips, and sensual curves of the over full figure. Her teeth were white, and when she laughed they glittered, and that was all of brightness about her. Everything else suggested a slothful, easy temperament, thickness of mental fiber, dullness of moral perception.

Suddenly her face was transformed. She was undergoing one of her rare seasons of animation, and the face she turned to the man before her was full of play and life.

Her eyes sought his boldly, with a kind of snap in them, and when she laughed the snap was communicated to her whole face, and that was all of brightness about her. Everything else suggested a slothful, easy temperament, thickness of mental fiber, dullness of moral perception.

But perhaps it was the man that suggested keenness, and lent a phase of his own personality to her.

From his long, slender fingers to the gleam of his eyes, everything suggested alertness. Yet the suggestion was evil, too, and marked him as a man to be distrusted.

There was a play of low cunning about his eyes, and the very devilry of jealousy lurked round his thin lips. As the two stood together you felt irresistibly that the demands of the man were before you, the brute that would not shrink from beating a woman—the woman that would tamely submit to be beaten.

"Well," he said, roughly, "are you going to do that cigar business?"

Meg shrank back, fearfully; the vivacity passed from her face and was succeeded by a gray shadow of terror.

The man laughed softly, and when he spoke he was only a woman! Showing the white feather first off!

She glanced at him deprecatingly, and he returned with a quick, sharp look of swaggering assurance. Evidently she was in his power, and both knew it.

"Very well," he said, with an assumption of easy indifference, "I know Liz will do it. Pluck up about her!"

The implied taunt took effect.

"And what if there is?" Meg cried fiercely. "She don't know what she is doing. She don't know what she is doing. You'd shoot at me in one of your tempers just as soon as you'd shoot at the cigar."

And Liz don't know you, and that's how she ain't afraid."

He was switching off the delectable, and he paused to look at her; it was a cruel look, containing in it that implication of secret power.

He did not deny the charge; he simply looked at her, and Meg's face took on a new expression of deprecation, while her attitude became cowed and limp.

"And it's because you know me that you should know better than to refuse," he said at last.

Meg glanced furtively at him, and with a show of reassurance answered doggedly.

"Well, I don't mind. You can try if you like, only not today."

This was not enough for Jim. With the obstinacy of the petty tyrant he would test his influence to the uttermost.

"You shall do it now," he said, reasonably, seizing Meg by the arm. Then he tossed her roughly from him with a rude "Come on, now, to the van."

She followed him, glancing involuntarily the obedience of the weaker to the stronger, but he took no further notice of her and continued his walk across the field to the corner where the blue smoke was rising from the circus caravans.

The sun was setting, throwing a red glare upon the gayly painted wagons, whose twinkling windows, touched by the rays, looked like bird eyes gazing at the two approaching.

The glare fell upon Jim walking jauntily along, with his hands behind him. It touched the silver hair, the gleaming fingers, and—was it fancy that made them appear red to Meg following behind?

"Jim," she said, slowly, "what's the matter with your hands? You've got blood on them."

He drew his hands from his back and examined them, for it was one of his characteristics that he kept his hands as white and delicate as a woman's.

"Bah!" he exclaimed, "what do you mean? My hands are right enough."

So they were, and Meg was not quick-witted enough to see that the red color had been due to the crimson sky in the west. She followed in silence, and when Jim climbed into his wagon she walked on to her own, thinking all the while becoming too unresponsible and masterful for her. Nevertheless when, a few minutes later, he came into the wagon she turned to him with no aversion on her broad, impassive face.

She watched him carefully as he loaded a pistol, and she did not refuse to take the cigar he held out to her when his preparation was complete.

Put it in your mouth and stand by the door," he said coolly, retreating to the other end of the van.

ness was in him, but he took slight notice of her terror.

"If you don't believe me," she said doggedly, "I'll not ask him to prove my words."

Her sulky air, taken in connection with her refusal, was conclusive evidence of guile, and Jim strode from the caravan with a muttered threat.

"I'll murder you both; you shall pay for it."

As he disappeared Meg pressed her hand to her heart and sank down on the nearest bench, trembling and faint. It was not the first time she had felt that deadly faintness, and Jim's words were not calculated to reassure her.

She was roused by the entrance of a girl, who came forward and asked, not unkindly, what ailed her.

"It's my heart, Liz; there's something the matter with it."

Liz smiled cynically. She, too, had heard the whisper.

"Well," she said roughly, "you have need to be frightened. I met Jim just now, and he looked as black as thunder. He's the very devil when he's roused. I say, Meg, I wouldn't be you!"

"What do you mean?" Meg asked wearily.

"Well, you see, Jim has heard about you and Will. He's mortal jealous. He'd do anything. He wouldn't stop at murder. I say, Meg, you won't do that cigar business."

The sudden question following the suggestive word needed no enlargement, and Meg stirred uneasily.

"Why shouldn't I? Jim knows it's false what he's saying. There's been no sweetheating between Will and me. I never kept company with any one but Jim."

Liz laughed again.

"Just as you please, but I wouldn't stand in your shoes to-night for anything."

When the hour for the evening performance came Meg stood before the glass putting the finishing touch to the gay dress in which she usually went through the cigar and pistol episode.

She had not recovered altogether from her faintness of the afternoon, and she opened the little window of the van to let in some air. The sun's rays flashed in, striking upon the shelf that served as a table.

They lit up the trinkets lying there, and touched the red stone of the brooch Jim had given her, until it looked like a clasp of palpitating blood.

Meg put her hand mechanically to take it, but at the sight of its color she remembered, with a sickening shudder, the "red hands" that had roused her terror a few months before, and she drew back. Then she took upon another brooch from the shelf, fastened it in her gown and went out to the tent.

The cheer that greeted her appearance restored her self-possession, and she bowed smilingly to the spectators before she took up her stand at the correct distance from Jim.

She glanced furtively at him, and, relieved that he was looking at her in restored good humor.

He nodded reassuringly at her, and smiled that he was ready to begin. Meg turned her profile toward him, and put the cigar in her mouth, thinking idly how foolish she had been to make so much of a trifle.

Jim and she were good friends again, so she stood bravely, no emotion on her broad, sensual face, while Jim raised his pistol to take aim.

In the act his hand trembled, his whole face changed, and a fierce glare came into his eyes; he bent forward—gesture and eyes alike horribly suggesting the panther about to spring—and gnashed his teeth.

He had caught sight of a yellow glitter in place of the red sparkle of the brooch by which he had always before taken aim.

The whole air seemed to have become yellow, and the strained silence of the spectators to be a background on which a sentence was embodied. "They say he has given her a gold brooch."

Jim's eyes were staring at the sentence, his ears ringing with the words he had heard heedlessly that afternoon. "They say he has given her a gold brooch."

For a moment his senses rebelled. Then he straightened himself sternly, and affected to examine again the priming of his pistol.

He raised it at length, and with steady hand aimed—was it at the cigar, or at the brooch Meg wore, at his request, a little on one side?

Steadily and long he stood, his pistol poised, his hand on the trigger, his eyes on the woman who had given him her life.

Steadily and long he stood; then sharp and sudden the shot rang out. And sharp and sudden rang out its echo—a woman's wild, shrill scream.

In the silence that followed, Meg fell forward.

Almost before the spectators realized what had happened, the curtain fell and screened from their curious eyes the painful thing upon the stage floor, the sight of which had blood flowing from a wound in her neck just above the brooch.

Jim had aimed well; the shot had severed the jugular vein and entered the carotid artery.

The manager stooped to raise her, but Jim pushed him aside and would have lifted her himself. But when he touched her he felt at his hands warm with the flow of her lifeblood.

"Oh God!" he cried, shrinking back, "I have murdered her."

Meg opened her eyes at the words, and a world of tenderness was in them as she gazed on the man she loved, and who had done her to death.

A great light flashed in her face and she understood it, so that the crime promise of what she might have been—any, was it not the fulfillment of the promise on which they gazed—was revealed to the man around her.

She reached out and touched Jim's red hand, and as the light faded she gasped: "No, Jim, it wasn't your fault—I did it. Will, do you hear? I moved—on purpose. And Jim, I've been true to you."

And so she proved her faithfulness. Keith Christie in Belgravia.

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"Well, you see, Jim has heard about you and Will. He's mortal jealous. He'd do anything. He wouldn't stop at murder. I say, Meg, you won't do that cigar business."

The sudden question following the suggestive word needed no enlargement, and Meg stirred uneasily.

"Why shouldn't I? Jim knows it's false what he's saying. There's been no sweetheating between Will and me. I never kept company with any one but Jim."

Liz laughed again.

"Just as you please, but I wouldn't stand in your shoes to-night for anything."

When the hour for the evening performance came Meg stood before the glass putting the finishing touch to the gay dress in which she usually went through the cigar and pistol episode.

She had not recovered altogether from her faintness of the afternoon, and she opened the little window of the van to let in some air. The sun's rays flashed in, striking upon the shelf that served as a table.

They lit up the trinkets lying there, and touched the red stone of the brooch Jim had given her, until it looked like a clasp of palpitating blood.

Meg put her hand mechanically to take it, but at the sight of its color she remembered, with a sickening shudder, the "red hands" that had roused her terror a few months before, and she drew back. Then she took upon another brooch from the shelf, fastened it in her gown and went out to the tent.

The cheer that greeted her appearance restored her self-possession, and she bowed smilingly to the spectators before she took up her stand at the correct distance from Jim.

She glanced furtively at him, and, relieved that he was looking at her in restored good humor.

He nodded reassuringly at her, and smiled that he was ready to begin. Meg turned her profile toward him, and put the cigar in her mouth, thinking idly how foolish she had been to make so much of a trifle.

Jim and she were good friends again, so she stood bravely, no emotion on her broad, sensual face, while Jim raised his pistol to take aim.

In the act his hand trembled, his whole face changed, and a fierce glare came into his eyes; he bent forward—gesture and eyes alike horribly suggesting the panther about to spring—and gnashed his teeth.

He had caught sight of a yellow glitter in place of the red sparkle of the brooch by which he had always before taken aim.

The whole air seemed to have become yellow, and the strained silence of the spectators to be a background on which a sentence was embodied. "They say he has given her a gold brooch."

Jim's eyes were staring at the sentence, his ears ringing with the words he had heard heedlessly that afternoon. "They say he has given her a gold brooch."

For a moment his senses rebelled. Then he straightened himself sternly, and affected to examine again the priming of his pistol.

He raised it at length, and with steady hand aimed—was it at the cigar, or at the brooch Meg wore, at his request, a little on one side?

Steadily and long he stood, his pistol poised, his hand on the trigger, his eyes on the woman who had given him her life.

Steadily and long he stood; then sharp and sudden the shot rang out. And sharp and sudden rang out its echo—a woman's wild, shrill scream.

In the silence that followed, Meg fell forward.

Almost before the spectators realized what had happened, the curtain fell and screened from their curious eyes the painful thing upon the stage floor, the sight of which had blood flowing from a wound in her neck just above the brooch.

Jim had aimed well; the shot had severed the jugular vein and entered the carotid artery.

The manager stooped to raise her, but Jim pushed him aside and would have lifted her himself. But when he touched her he felt at his hands warm with the flow of her lifeblood.

"Oh God!" he cried, shrinking back, "I have murdered her."

Meg opened her eyes at the words, and a world of tenderness was in them as she gazed on the man she loved, and who had done her to death.

A great light flashed in her face and she understood it, so that the crime promise of what she might have been—any, was it not the fulfillment of the promise on which they gazed—was revealed to the man around her.

She reached out and touched Jim's red hand, and as the light faded she gasped: "No, Jim, it wasn't your fault—I did it. Will, do you hear? I moved—on purpose. And Jim, I've been true to you."

And so she proved her faithfulness. Keith Christie in Belgravia.

AN ACT. [H. 788.]

To amend an act entitled an act, to provide for the registration and lien of judgments and decrees for the payment of money.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That the plaintiff or owner of any judgment or decree rendered by any court of record for the payment of money, may file in the office of the Judge of Probate of any county in this State, a certificate of the clerk or register of the court, by which said judgment or decree was rendered, showing the amount and date thereof, the amount of costs, the names of the parties and the names of the plaintiffs' attorney, which certificate shall be registered by the Judge of Probate of such county, in a book to be kept by him for that purpose, which register shall also show the date of filing and the name of the owner of such judgment or decree, and every judgment or decree so filed and registered shall be a lien upon all the property of the defendant in such county which is subject to levy and sale under execution; and such lien shall continue for ten (10) years from the date of such registration. The registration of such judgment or decree shall be of notice to all persons of the existence of such liens.

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That the probate judge shall be entitled to receive a fee of fifty cents for each judgment so registered.

Sec. 3. Be it further enacted, That the laws relating to the entry of credits and satisfaction of mortgages shall apply to the entry of credits and satisfaction of the liens created by this act.

Sec. 4. Be it further enacted, That for the certificates, provided for in the first section of this act, the clerk or register furnishing the same shall be entitled to receive a fee of fifty cents for each certificate.

Approved February 26, 1889.

Official: C. C. LANGDON, Secretary of State.

AN ACT [H. B. 350.]

To require Justices of the Peace to furnish itemized bills of costs to suitors.

Section 1.—Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That Justices of the Peace and Notaries Public acting as Justice of the Peace shall on all process issued for the collection of costs, or on all bills rendered for the payment of costs, or receipts given therefor to any person, furnish an itemized statement of the services rendered and properly chargeable, whether the items be demanded or not. Such Justice of the Peace shall also spread upon their record a copy of all bills of costs delivered by or upon which process shall have been issued by him. Any Justice of the Peace or Notary exercising the authority or jurisdiction of a Justice of the Peace, who shall fail to comply with the provisions of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Section 2.—Be it further enacted, That any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public acting as such, who shall knowingly charge or demand any fee or sum for services not rendered or shall charge for services rendered more than the fees allowed by law, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Approved February 26, 1889.

Official: C. C. LANGDON, Secretary of State.

AN ACT [S. 274.]

To define a lawful wire fence in the State of Alabama.

Section 1.—Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That from and after the passage of this act, any fence made of three wires fastened to trees or posts, whose trees or posts shall not be over ten feet apart, shall be a lawful fence, so far as mules, horses and cattle are concerned. Provided, the wires are not over fifteen inches apart, and the top wire shall be at least four feet from the ground.

Section 2.—Be it further enacted, That any fence made of seven wires fastened to trees or posts not over eight feet apart, shall be a lawful fence against all stock whatsoever. Provided, the first four wires are of four inch barb, and not over four inches apart, commencing with first wire four inches from the ground, fifth wire not over six inches from fifth, sixth not over eight inches from fifth, seventh and eighth fifteen inches apart. Provided further, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to the counties of Clay, Bibb, Chambers, Talladega, Lamar, Franklin, Jefferson, Sumter, Dallas, Colbert, Wilcox, Tallapoosa, Lee, Choctaw, Chilton, Etowah, St. Clair, Mobile, Coosa and Walker.

Approved Feb. 27th, 1889.

Official: C. C. LANGDON, Secretary of State.

Fort Payne Journal: B. H. Nicholson bought 40 acres of land, about one and a half miles south of town for \$900 and sold one third of an acre for \$300.

## WILL NOT ATTEND.

The Outgoing Administration Objects to the Partisanship Displayed.

Neither Mrs. Cleveland nor any of the ladies of the present Cabinet will attend the inaugural ball. The report reaches "The Republic" correspondent pretty well authenticated, and there is good reason to believe that it is correct. It will make a sensation, of course, if should prove true. Such a procedure would be almost unprecedented.

There is no reason given for the reported action of the ladies referred to, but it is supposed that the efforts of the inaugural managers to make the affair as intensely partisan as possible has something to do with it.

From the same source from which the above was received also comes the information that Secretary Whitney intends inviting all the Democratic Senators, Representatives and chiefs of bureaus and departments, together with their wives, to be his guests at a Mary Anderson performance at one of the theatres Monday night while the inaugural ball is in progress.

The lady from whom the above information was received was from Mrs. Cleveland and Mrs. Whitney and Mrs. Fairchild.

## Splendid Health.

I wish to proclaim to the world what S. S. S. has done for me. For the past few years I have been troubled with dreadful eruptions on my face, caused by my poison. I was under the treatment of a number of physicians, but obtained no relief. I tried the best "blood purifiers" in the market, but without avail. I had given up in despair, thinking I could not be cured; but happening to read the Detroit Journal, I noticed S. S. S. advertised and read Mrs. Bradley's testimonial. I thought I would try it. I have taken eight bottles, and there is not a spot on my face. It has also cured me of chronic catarrh. I have never enjoyed better health than at present. I feel like a new person. I cannot find words to express my appreciation of its merits, and the gratitude I feel for the glad tidings that came to me through the reading of that advertisement. Wishing you every success, I am, Yours truly,

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# The Republican.

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The Governor has appointed Attorney-General McClellan to the Supreme Court bench.

The selection of a cabinet by President Harrison gives promise of a weak administration.

Already a big row is promised in the Republican party over the selection of Mr. Harrison's cabinet.

The inaugural address of President Harrison was a disappointment to the South. It was hoped he would give himself too big a man for sectional prejudice. But he is not.

General from office under the new administration will be slow, and the impatience of hungry office seekers will be correspondingly great. But Mr. Harrison says importantly for place will be no recommendation. All that is left the average southern Republican is to retire to his closet and there grit his teeth.

Alabama newspapers are expressing surprise that the office of Attorney-General should be so desirable to good lawyers of the State, when the salary is only \$1,500. It may not be generally known, but the fees of the office together with the salary make quite a "fat take" for the incumbent.

Mr. Satchwell, agent of Frederickson & Co., colonizers of Chicago, with Mr. F. Deserer of Iowa, was in Jacksonville Wednesday and Thursday, on business connected with settlement of the lands of Frederickson & Co., near Jacksonville. Mr. Satchwell says that several parties of immigrants will be in Alabama from the Northwest during this and next month. One or more of these parties will likely come to Jacksonville.

The appointment of Attorney-General McClellan to the Supreme Court bench leaves the office of Attorney-General vacant and to be filled by appointment at the hands of the Governor. Senator Jno. L. Burnett, of Cherokee is one among several who have been mentioned for the place and it is understood he is an applicant. Gov. Seay can make no mistake in appointing Mr. Burnett. He is industrious and competent, and his appointment would be gratifying to the Democracy of this section of the State.

Circuit court has been in session two weeks, Judge Box presiding. All cases on the docket that can be tried this term will be disposed of this week and court will likely adjourn at the end of this week and not hold over the next week, as allowed by law. Henceforth the court may hold at Jacksonville until the business is disposed of, and the consequence will be that from now on the docket will be kept comparatively clear and all litigants as well as all parties prosecuted will get speedy trials. The Anniston city court will get to work in April and this will further tend to relieve the docket.

The Orphans' Home under charge of the North Alabama Conference of the M. E. Church, South, which was chartered by the Legislature at its late session, will be located in April by the executive committee. Enquiry has been addressed to the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Company to know what the company will do in the way of donation of land to secure its location at Jacksonville. The company will take action at its next Directors' meeting. It is safe to say the company will be liberal. There are many reasons why the Home should be located in Jacksonville.

The mained Confederate soldiers and the widows of Confederate soldiers will get more this time than heretofore. The appropriation made by the Legislature this year is fifty thousand dollars. The Senate made the amount one hundred thousand dollars, but the House would not agree to that and so the amount remained at fifty thousand and it came from the house. No soldier or widow who has more than \$400 worth of taxable property (except soldiers totally blind), can participate in the fund. The object is to have the money go to those really needy, and not have it frittered away on people of good circumstances as heretofore.

The Hot Blast is right when it says the proposed mineral road from Jacksonville to Anniston will be of great benefit to both places. It will give Jacksonville access to the various lines of railroad that meet at Anniston. It will give to the Anniston furnaces the rich ores that lie along its line. These ores have been recently prospected by a mining engineer, who pronounces them of very fine quality and practically inexhaustible as to quantity. He says twenty-five hundred tons daily can be mined at points named on the line cheaper than anywhere else in the South. In addition to these two leading considerations there will be other advantages growing out of a free intercourse between the people of the two towns hardly to be estimated in dollars and cents. The prospects of the road are very bright. Jacksonville Times.

put up very near fifty thousand dollars of the sixty thousand bonds necessary to secure the building of the road in ninety days. What will Anniston do? The Woodstock Iron Company could well afford to subscribe the balance, for the road taps some of their richest iron mines now inaccessible, among them being one two and a half or three miles southeast of Jacksonville, over which all mining engineers, who have visited the ore beds of this section, have grown enthusiastic.

That patriotic and big-brained statesman of Alabama, Gen. E. W. Pettus, addresses some timely suggestions to the Democrats of the "black belt" that they would do well to heed. They cannot with impunity any longer deny to the Democracy of the "white belt" their just representation in the councils of the party on any sort of pretext whatever, nor continue to refuse them a reapportionment of representation to which they are justly entitled. The white democrats of this section of the State have submitted to much that they would not have submitted to but for the peculiar environments of their brethren of the "black belt," but human nature is human nature, and it is not in the nature of a high spirited and free born race to submit to any sort of implied inferiority long, for any sort of reason or under any pretext. Gen. Pettus, being a wise and sagacious man, has read the signs of the times well, and like the true and brave man that he is, he sounds the note of warning in time. It will be well if his counsels are heeded.

## SUICIDE OF GEORGE W. FOSTER.

A Young Lawyer Goes to His Wife's Grave and Blows Out His Brains With a Pistol.

TUSKALOOSA, Feb. 27.—George W. Foster, a young lawyer of this city, committed suicide this morning about 9 o'clock in the old cemetery, whither he had gone, accompanied by his cousin, Mr. Noble Foster. As they neared the grave of Mrs. Bell Booth Foster, G. W. Foster's wife, who has been dead three years, he requested his cousin to leave him alone for a few minutes. He then placed a pistol to his head and blew his brains out and fell lifeless across his wife's grave. No cause is assigned for the act.

The sad tragedy detailed above will cause much regret, as there are few readers of the Age-Herald who do not know about Geo. W. Foster and the beautiful woman who was his wife.

Mrs. Foster was a Miss Belle Woodruff, of Tuscaloosa, and in her young ladyhood was a belle among the belles of a city famous for the beauty and grace of its women. She married a Mr. Booth and went to Mississippi to live, returning a number of years afterward, about 1879, as a widow, with three bright and handsome children. The years had but added to her beauty of face and the stately grace of her figure. At her home in Tuscaloosa, in the gay society of the State Capitol, in Birmingham—everywhere she went, admirers crowded about her, and her social triumph was complete.

George Foster was a young lawyer, a member of the numerous, wealthy and highbred Foster family, which is part and parcel of the county and city of Tuscaloosa. Though much her junior, he fell in love with the beautiful widow Booth and she with him, and about five years ago they were married. They afterward removed to Anniston, where young Foster practiced law. There was no cloud on the happiness of their life until the darkness of death came to the wife in the shape of a sudden illness, and falling back in the arms of her devoted young husband she was dead.

Mr. Foster afterward went back to Tuscaloosa, where he lived until the tragedy of yesterday. The Age-Herald's special assigns no cause for the unhappy deed. Could it have been aught than grief for his beautiful dead wife?

## THE CABINET.

The Planned Knight at the Helm, and the Other Big Men of the Party Left Out—The Senate Promptly Confirms the List.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—President Harrison to-day sent to the senate the following nominations: Secretary of State, James G. Blaine, of Maine. Secretary of the Treasury, William Windom, of Minnesota. Secretary of War, Redfield Proctor, of Vermont. Secretary of the Navy, Benjamin F. Tracy, of New York. Secretary of the Interior, John W. Noble, of Missouri. Postmaster General, John W. Wadsworth, of Pennsylvania. Attorney General, W. H. H. Miller, of Indiana. Secretary of Agriculture, Jeremiah Rush, of Wisconsin.

The nominations were confirmed in a ten minutes session of the senate. Last Thursday, George Smith, colored, was found dead in a ditch on J. P. Stevens' farm, three miles from Gadsden. Coroner Lowry held an inquest over the dead body. The verdict was that the deceased came to his death by accidental drowning. His body was carried to the ditch by the recent high water. We understand Smith's father is also missing. Gadsden Times-News.

Rival Towns at War. TONKAWA, KAN., March 6.—Gov. Humphrey yesterday received a telegram from Horace that an armed mob from Tribune had visited that town to carry off city property. The telegram said that the mob was prevented from accomplishing its mission, but that serious trouble was feared. The Governor telegraphed the Sheriff of Greely county that he had ample power to preserve the peace, and directed him to do it fearlessly and impartially. The trouble grows out of the county seat trial, which has been in progress in Greely county for the past two years, the rival towns being only two miles apart.

## OFF for Utah.

OXFORD, ALA., March 8.—To-morrow morning Itham Harrison and his family, consisting of a son and seven daughters will leave for Ogden Utah. They are all converts to Mormonism. Harrison lived in the mountains about twenty miles east of this place, and five years ago was a Handsell Baptist preacher. Two Mormon elders spent a month at his house and made converts of him and his entire family. Since that time Harrison has been preaching Mormonism and has made several converts.

The farmers of Mississippi seem to be more progressive than those of Alabama, if we are to judge from the rapid advance made in the dairy business. They are all talking and writing about ensilage and silos, and say that the south needs 10,000 silos where it now has one. This is one of the numerous benefits to be derived from the Farmers' Alliance, it is virtually an institute, held at least four times a year. How many silos are there in Hale county? Ensilage in winter for dairy cows is almost indispensable. Sorghum and Indian corn sowed together broad cast is said to be the very best crop that can be grown for ensilage.—Greensboro Beacon.

## The Dummy Line.

There is great interest manifested in the projected Anniston, Jacksonville & Williamsport Dummy Line, which is confined to no particular section of the county through which the proposed line is to pass. There is no doubt in the minds of those who have looked well into the matter that the enterprise will pay, and that it will be of immense benefit in various ways to both both Jacksonville and Anniston. In the former town the enthusiasm is great and the business men are showing their faith in the enterprise by taking stock and evincing a liberal spirit in the matter of granting right of way, etc.

The Hot Blast wishes the enterprise every success, commends the movement as practicable and calculated to be of great advantage and hopes that the gentlemen who are taking an active part in the movement will meet with hearty encouragement. We should by all means have the dummy line.—Anniston Hot Blast.

No man ever retired from high station in this country with a more honorable record than that made by Grever Cleveland. No president has been more useful, none braver, honest, able. He entered the great office with scant preparation and showed from the start that his sound sense, sagacity, honesty and firmness of purpose to do right stood him in good stead of experience in statecraft. Detraction has labored and lied in vain concerning his official and personal life. In the presidency he carried with him into private life the thorough respect of a vast majority of his fellow-citizens; his administration will go into history as one of the ablest and cleanest in our political annals.—Chattanooga Times.

## STATE NEWS.

Gov. Seay delivered an address of welcome to the conference.

L. J. Dawson has been re-elected Mayor of Greensboro.

McDonald's Opera House, Montgomery, is to be sold at auction on Monday.

Shelby has secured a boom and talks of establishing a car manufacturing and various other enterprises.

Bessemer has issued bonds to the amount of \$30,000 for the erection of a city hall and extension of sewerage system.

The Hon. Thos. N. McClellan, the present attorney-general, has been appointed as the fourth Supreme Court judge.

The Huntsville Mercury is pleading manfully for the citizens of Huntsville to raise \$40,000 to secure the Cincinnati & Birmingham railroad.

The teachers of Etowah county held an interesting institute in Gadsden, and have arranged a programme for another on the 5th and 6th of April.

In the Tuskegee municipal election there were three candidates for mayor, but W. P. Thompson was re-elected by 142 votes out of 202.

Dr. Burkhead, of Montgomery, delivered a lecture and preached a sermon at the Chatauga, De Funik Springs, Florida. He reports having had an interesting time.

It is said that not less than five hundred converts to Mormonism, gathered mainly in Northeast Alabama, have left Chattanooga within the last six months.

6x12 feet and built entirely of stone and iron, not a single piece of wood to be used in any part of it. Childersburg has been incorporated, and its first municipal election resulted in the election of E. C. Dommerson for mayor, and George Butler, R. Wood, Wm Finn and J. B. Oden councilmen.

## TROUBLE HUNTERS.

MEN WHO CLIMB TELEGRAPH POLES AND THINGS THEY SEE.

How Breaks in the System Are Discovered and Remedied—Looking on Beecher's Deathbed—A Lineman Who Did a Woman a Service and Had to Pay for It.

To a person not thoroughly versed in matters pertaining to telegraphing, the room on the seventh floor of the Western Union building on Broadway would prove particularly interesting. It is situated immediately beneath the roof, and has over 6,000 wires entering the different windows. This is the linemen's headquarters, and the starting point of the "trouble hunters." It is often asked, "What a trouble hunter is, and I'll tell you," said one of the oldest hands to a Star reporter who was sitting in the room yesterday. "We are notified by one of the operators at the switchboard that circuit thirty-six, say, is dead, and the 'trouble hunter' starts from this point and follows the wire carefully to the spot where the break is. There his responsibility ceases and the repair gang take hold and remedy what defect they find. There are three classes of difficulties we encounter. They are designated as 'open,' 'ground' and 'escape.' An 'open' is a complete break in the wire, which is easily enough repaired. A 'ground' is when a wire 'grounds' it's a different thing. The earth, of course, is a repository for all electrical fluids, and an exposed wire touches at any place it naturally interferes with the circuit. A green pole, when wet, is also an excellent conductor, and frequently causes us no end of trouble. A telegraph pole should be thoroughly seasoned before being put into use, but frequently a green one is put up, and then after a heavy shower of rain, the sap runs down the pole and the defect is remedied. The line is practically useless. A green pole from a window, touching an exposed wire, would not interfere with the wiring unless the pole in some way ran into the earth.

"An 'escape' is on the same principle as a 'ground.' It generally occurs where the wire becomes worn and part of the electrical fluid escapes and part runs on the circuit." "What are the principal qualifications to become a lineman?" "A cool head. Any one could perform the mechanical part of the work after a little experience, but to do it at all in climbing a pole properly, but it is not half as bad as the coming down. The sensation, I can tell you, is very peculiar to you now."

According to the statement of half a dozen linemen spoken to, some very strange sights have been witnessed by them while at work on a cross of a pole. One of them in relating his experience said he was working for a telephone company in Brooklyn and had been sent to repair a wire on Clark street. It was necessary for him to climb nearly every pole in the street, and while ascending one near the corner of Hicks street he was enabled to look down into the windows of a house. The sight he saw riveted his attention for a few moments. There was an elderly gentleman on the bed surrounded by members of his family, and was evidently dying. The man gazed at the picture a moment in surprise, and then proceeded with his work and descended to the ground. The house faced on Hicks street, and before the door a small crowd had gathered, and were discussing some news.

"That house is that," he asked an old gentleman who had come down the steps. The gentleman looked at him in surprise a moment. "That is Henry Ward Beecher's house," he replied. "And he died there." Another lineman related a peculiar experience he had while perched on a pole on Third avenue, near Seventy-third street. He had a pair of pliers in his hand, and was in the act of twisting the two ends of a broken wire, when he heard a woman scream. He turned his head and saw a man and a woman, a woman, who was screaming at the top of her voice. On the impulse of the moment he threw his pliers through the window at the man who had a hasty retreat. When he reached the ground the woman was waiting for him. She had called an officer and wanted to have him arrested for assaulting her husband by throwing the pliers at him. The lineman was obliged to pay for a pane of glass, through which he had thrown the pliers, notwithstanding his contention that it was the woman's life. The various experiences they relate, many of them of a very dramatic and interesting character, would hardly lead one to suppose that a life of life to be found in a great city like New York.

Use of the Electric Needle. The Washington Star tells the experience of a woman physician who for years has used this method to rid her patients of the headache, growth that troubles many of the fair sex. "I have treated hundreds of women, children and men, and I have never found a person for whom I could not so regulate the current of electricity as to render the operation of hair killing practically painless, if not entirely painless for itching the skin. I have never seen an instance of it. I have had a few female patients who feared before the operation that they would not be able to stand it, but on trial they did not find it nearly as painful as they thought for."

Poor Rich People. Perhaps the poorest rich people in this country are the heirs of Commodore N. W. Kittson. They have \$5,000,000 in sight as heirs, but the trustees of the estate refuse to pay them a dollar except to settle their monthly bills, because the estate is made the defendant in a suit for \$5,000,000.—New York Star.

A thief at Dubuque stole a barrel of eggs, but because the warrant did not specify that they were hen's eggs instead of goose or other egg he was turned loose and allowed to go. Law and common sense were always strangers.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Letters of Administration upon the estate of Nathan Cobb, deceased, having been granted the undersigned by the Hon. E. P. Cooke, Judge of the Probate Court of Calhoun County on the 26th day of February 1899, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate, will be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or they will be barred.

E. W. FONG, Administrator. feb2311

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# TAX NOTICE

Assessor's Second Round.

I will be at the places the days mentioned below for the purpose of assessing the State, County and Poll Taxes for the year 1899, for Calhoun county, State of Alabama. All persons subject to taxation under the law are earnestly requested to meet me promptly at my appointments on this my second round, with a full list of property, with its full cash value, with correct numbers of lands and town lots in every case, as required by law. According to law all persons are required to give in their own proper list, or by an authorized agent. Persons giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.

BEAT 1. DeArmanville, Monday, March 12. Choccolocco, Tuesday, March 13. White Plains, Wednesday, March 14. Rabbit Town, Friday, March 15. Morgan's Store, Saturday, March 16.

BEAT 2. Wilson's Store, Monday, March 11. Ladiga, Tuesday, March 12. Piedmont, Wednesday & Thursday, March 13 and 14. Allison Springs, Friday, March 15. Green's School House, Saturday, March 16.

BEAT 3. Jacksonville, Monday & Tuesday, March 13 and 14. Four Mile Springs, Wednesday, March 15. Weaver's Station, Thursday, March 16. Anniston, Friday and Saturday, March 17 and 18.

BEAT 4. Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 13 and 14. Gansway's, Wednesday, March 15. Bynum's, Thursday, March 16. Sulphur Springs, Mar. Friday 29. Polkville, Saturday, March 30.

BEAT 5. Alexandria, Monday and Tuesday, March 13 and 14. Othatche Station, Wednesday, April 3. Griffin's Store, Thursday, April 4. Peck's Hill, Friday, April 5.

BEAT 6. Hollingsworth's, Saturday, April 6. J. V. RHODES, Tax Assessor. feb. 16 31

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In Chancery. STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County.

Woodstock Iron Co., Anniston City Land Co., A. H. Humphries, N. E. Humphries.

In Chancery at Jacksonville, Ala., 9th District, N. E. Chancery Division.

In this cause, it is made to appear to the Register, by the affidavit of G. B. Skelton witness for complainants that the Defendant A. H. Humphries is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and that his residence is unknown to affiant and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the defendant is over the age of twenty-one years.

It is therefore ordered by the Register, that publication be made in the Jacksonville Republican a newspaper published in the county of Calhoun, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, said A. H. Humphries to plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 21st day of February 1899, or in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Dated at office, in Jacksonville this 17th day of January, 1899. W. M. HAMES, Register.

SPECIAL NOTICE To the Stockholders of the Jacksonville, Gadsden & Altala R. R. Co. A meeting of the Stockholders of the said Railway Company will be held on Tuesday, April 24, 1899, at the office of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Co., in Jacksonville, Alabama, for the purpose of electing officers, ratifying the action of the board of directors held at a meeting on the 15th day of February, granting certain rights and property to the Jacksonville, Williamsport & Anniston Railway Co., and to transact whatever other business may come before them.

H. L. STEVENSON, President. JNO. D. HAMMOND, Secretary. feb 23-30d.

Administrators Sale of Land. Under and by virtue of an order of sale heretofore granted by the Probate Court of Calhoun County, Alabama, the undersigned administrators of the estate of Alfred Z. Farnley, deceased, will sell at public order before the Court House door on Friday the 22nd day of February 1899, between the legal hours of said day, the following described land, to-wit: N1/2 of N1/4 of Sec 24, T. 14, R. 28, and Lot 51 in the new plan of the town of Jacksonville, all in Calhoun County, Alabama, containing 120 acres.

S. D. G. BROTHGUTH, Administrator. feb2311

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According to law all persons are required to give in their own property, or by an authorized agent. Parties giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.

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17 DeArmanville, Monday, March 11.

12 Choctawhatchee, Tuesday, March 5.

12 Davisville, Wednesday, March 6.

11 White Plains, Thursday, March 7.

10 Rabbit Town, Friday, March 8.

10 Morgan's Store, Saturday, March 9.

10 Wilson's Store, Monday, March 10.

16 Ladiga, Tuesday, March 12.

9 Piedmont, Wednesday & Thursday, March 13 and 14.

8 Allsup Friday, March 15.

8 Green's School House, Saturday, March 16.

1 Jacksonville, Monday & Tuesday, March 18 and 19.

2 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday, March 20.

3 Weaver's Station, Thursday, March 21.

15 Anniston, Friday and Saturday, March 22 and 23.

13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.

4 Ganaway's, Wednesday, March 27.

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3 Folkville, Saturday, March 30.

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J. V. RHODES, Tax Assessor.

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Administrators Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale heretofore granted by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Alfred Forney, deceased, will sell at public outcry before the Court House door on Friday the 25th day of February 1889, between the legal hours of sale the following described land, to-wit: N 1/2 of NE 1/4 of Sec 24, T. 14, R. 8, east, and Lot 51 in the new plan of the town of Jacksonville, all in Calhoun county, Alabama, containing 120 acres, more or less.

S. D. G. BROTHERS, Administrator. feb2-3t

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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Letters of Administration upon the estate of Nathan Cobb, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, on the 5th day of February 1889, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate, will be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or they will be barred.

E. W. CORB, Administrator. feb 16-3t

### Cheap Money.

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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Letters testamentary under the last will and testament of Joshua Draper, Sr., having been granted to the undersigned on the 12th day of January, 1889, by the Hon. E. F. Crook, Judge of the Court of Probate for Calhoun county, State of Alabama, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate, be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or thus the same will be barred; and all persons indebted to said estate are respectfully requested to pay the same.

ANNIE D. DRAPER, EDWARD T. CLARK. feb 16-3t

### NOTICE NO. 8409

Land Office at Montgomery, Ala., January 17 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville Ala. on March 15, 1889, viz: Emily M. Jones, widow of James H. Jones, Homestead 1886, for the W 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 10, T. 15, R. 8, E. This names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Jesse H. Crook, of O. T. T. Alabama; William H. Morris and Geo. Phillips, of T. 15, R. 8, E. O. T. Alabama; Geo. H. Harris, of O. T. Alabama. J. G. HARRIS, Register. feb 23-3pd.

### Sheriff Sale.

Under and by virtue of an execution issued from the Chancery Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, on the 14th day of February, 1889, against Ira C. Hill and others and in favor of Margaret Badget and others, I will proceed to sell at public outcry before the Court House door in the town of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Alabama, on Monday, the 18th day of March, 1889, to the highest bidder for cash, within the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate property to-wit: Fractions 6, 7, 8, 10 and 11, in Sec. 35, T. 12, R. 8, east and also lots No. 8 and 9 in Douthitt's plan, also known as the new map of Jacksonville, Ala. as Nos. 191 and 191 1/2, near the depot of the E. T. V. & G. R. R. in the town of Jacksonville, Ala., said land containing about two hundred and 30-100 acres, and said lots being 10 rods wide and 32 long, each running back north from Depot street, and bounded south by Depot street on east by lot No. 10 which sold by Wm. H. Cook to Brittain, on west by C. W. Brewster lot and on north by lands now owned by V. L. Weir, levied on as the property of Mrs. E. M. Cook, for the satisfaction of said execution. L. P. CARPENTER, Sheriff. feb16-4t

### Commissioner's Sale.

Under and by virtue of an order heretofore made by the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Alabama, the undersigned Commissioner appointed by said court, will sell at public outcry before the Court House door, for cash, on the 25th day of February 1889, between the legal hours of sale the following described property to-wit: Lots Nos. 25, 26 and 27 in the new plan of the town of Jacksonville, Alabama, in Sec. 13, T. 14, R. 8, east, in Calhoun county, containing five acres more or less, and known as the old Turnley homestead. Sold for division among the present owners, Mrs. Josephine A. Adams and Jas. A. Gladden. JNO. P. WEAVER, Commissioner. feb16-3t

### In Chancery.

STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun county, Woodstock Iron Co., Anniston City Land Co., vs. A. H. Humphries, N. E. Humphries.

In Chancery at Jacksonville, Ala., 9th District, N. E. Chancery Division. In this cause, it is made to appear to the Register, by the affidavit of G. B. Skelton witness for complainants that the Defendant A. H. Humphries is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and that his residence is unknown to affiant and further, that in the belief of said affiant, the defendant is over the age of twenty-one years.

It is therefore ordered by the Register, that publication be made in the Jacksonville Republican a newspaper published in the county of Calhoun, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him said A. H. Humphries to plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 21st day of February 1889, or in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office, in Jacksonville this 17th day of January 1889. W. M. HANES, Register. jan19-4t

### SPECIAL NOTICE

To the Stockholders of the Jacksonville, Gadsden & Atlanta R. R. Co. A meeting of the Stockholders of the said Railway Company will be held on Tuesday, April 2nd, at the office of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Co. in Jacksonville, Alabama, for the purpose of electing officers, ratifying the action of the board of directors had at a meeting on the 15th day of February, granting certain rights and property to the Jacksonville, Williamsport & Anniston Railway Co., and to transact whatever other business may come before them.

H. L. STEVENSON, JNO. D. HAMMOND, Secretary, President feb 23-3pd.

### Re-Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Probate Court of Calhoun county, Ala., entered on Jan 28, 1889, the undersigned commissioners will again offer for sale to the highest bidder at public outcry before the Court House door in Jacksonville Alabama, on Monday, the 18th day of March, 1889, the following real estate, owned jointly by the heirs at law, of James H. Privett, Deceased, to-wit: The SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 and twenty (20) acres off the north end of the W 1/2 of E 1/2 of SW 1/4 and W 1/2 of NW 1/4 and NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, all of section 25, township 14 and range 8, east, and also the following: Commencing in the middle of the creek where the Jacksonville and Oxford road crosses mill creek, thence east 5 rods to the section line, thence north with said section line, 8 rods to the Privett estate, thence along with said Jacksonville Road to the beginning, containing three acres more or less, in Section 26, Township 14 Range 8, all in Calhoun county, Alabama, about two miles south of Jacksonville, and containing in all 123 acres, more or less. Terms of sale, one third cash, balance on a credit of one and two years, in two equal payments, with interest from day of sale. Notes and good security will be required. H. F. MONTGOMERY, Com'r's. C. D. MARTIN, J. J. SKELTON, feb 16-3w

### NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the estate of Dr. J. C. Francis, deceased, will settle the same with the undersigned and all persons having claims against said estate will present their claims in due time or they will be barred by law. J. Y. HENDERSON, Agent for Heirs of said Estate. feb 16-3w

### Notice to Non-Residents.

Brothers, Willett & Willett, vs. M. W. McCraw & Co. Defts. The Ala. Car Works, Garnishue, Phillips & Buttorff Mfg Co., et. als., claimants.

State of Alabama, Calhoun county, In Circuit Court.

It appearing that the above entitled cause was instituted in said court by the issuance of a writ of Garnishment directed to the Alabama Car Works, commanding it to answer, whether on the time of the service of the Garnishment, or at any time intervening the time of serving the garnishment and making the answer, it was indebted to the defendant, which it was not, it is not indebted in future to defendants by contract then existing it is liable to defendants for the delivery of personal property of which is payable in personal property and whether it has not in its possession or under its control money or effects belonging to the defendants. That said Alabama Car Works answered that on Nov. 1st 1887, it was indebted to defendants in the sum of Four Hundred 00-100 Dollars. That Phillips & Buttorff Manufacturing Co., of Nashville, Tenn., Mrs. Amanda Phillips, of Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Alice Baggett of St. Augustine, Fla., have some claim to said sum of money so due. This is therefore to notify the said Phillips & Buttorff Manufacturing Co., Mrs. Alice Baggett, to appear at the next term of this court to be held for said county on the 25th day of February 1889 and present their claim to said sum of money due from affiant to said M. W. McCraw & Co.

Given under my hand this 24th day of November 1887. JNO. P. WEAVER, Clerk Cir. Court. jan23-3t

### NOTICE NO. 8431.

LAND OFFICE, AT MONTGOMERY, ALA., January 16th, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville Ala. on March 15, 1889, viz: Peter S. Findlater, Homestead only No. 2372, for the SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 10, T. 15, R. 8, E. This names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: David C. Hyatt, Edward Caldwell, Joseph A. Caldwell, George W. Clemmons, all of Jacksonville, Ala. J. G. HARRIS, Register. mar2-6t



# JACKSONVILLE REPUBLICAN.

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Every thinking business man, after taking inventory, draws from his past experience such figures and lessons as will help his future. Every such man, engaged in the ordinary lines of merchandising, who has had the average experience, has discovered a constant tendency toward a shrinkage of either his percentage of profit or the volume of his business.

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## NOUREDDIN, THE SON OF THE SHAH.

There was a Shah had a second son who was very unlike his elder one. For he went about on his own affairs. And scorned the mosque and the prayers. When his sire frowned, then he cried, "Ha, ha."

Nourreddin, the son of the Shah.

But worst of all the prince he played. Was to fall in love with a Christian maid. An Armenian maid who wore no veil. Nor behind a lattice grew this and pale. At his sire's dark threats laughed the youth, "Ha, ha."

Nourreddin, the son of the Shah.

"I will shut him close in an iron cage," The monarch said, in a fuming rage. But the prince slipped out by a postern door. And away to the mountains he loved one more. Loud his glad rang back on the winds, "Ha, ha."

Nourreddin, the son of the Shah.

And still in the town of Teheran.

When a youth and a maid adopt this plan. All frowns and threats with a laugh defy. And away from the mosques to the mountains fly.

Folk meet and greet with a gay "Ha, ha."

Nourreddin, the son of the Shah.

Clifton Scollard.

## HOW HE FORGAVE HER.

The unfortunate people who have never conducted their first proof sheet, or let the leaves of the first copy of their first book, or on opening a newspaper have never suddenly discovered their first favorable review, can have but a faint notion of what happiness really is!

Afterward one writes better, and probably looks on one's first book as very poor stuff, to be forgotten, if possible, or at least ignored on title page or advertisement sheet; but when that book first appeared what untold joy it brought with it!

Many years ago I was one of those perfectly happy persons. My first book (poems, of course—do we not all begin with poetry, because it is so easy, before we venture to attack the difficult prose) had lately appeared in a charmingly pale binding, suggestive of hope and spring; my first notice had been sweet, and I was just dashing off a second copy, when I received a letter forwarded through my publishers. I opened it in blissful excitement (the commonest things seem to feel fair mystic of delight when one is a young poet) and found a short note and several poems.

"Dear Sir, the letter ran, 'your book, 'Mosses and Midge' (delightful original title), has been given to me to review for The Blackpool Chronicle, and I find so much in it that is sympathetic and true to the instincts of my own nature, that I venture to write to you as a friend to a friend, feeling that we are kindred souls, and should become better known to each other, that our hands may meet, as our spirits already do. I venture also to enclose one or two poems of my own, suggested by your book. They, with others, and some essays, will shortly be published. May I dedicate them to you? Yours faithfully, 'CYRIL BROWNIEG.'"

"Dear Sir," How delightful! He took me for a man, as indeed most of my reviewers had done. My feminine senses of mischief and mystery were aroused, and I determined I would continue to be "dear Sir" as long as possible; so I read the poems, and far above anything I could do, and wrote a few lines to my unknown correspondent telling him how flattered I should feel at his dedicating his book to me, and signing myself by the name de plume I had chosen, Earle Oakhurst.

Earle was really my own name, having been given to me, I always thought, as an attempt to impart a dignified sound to my other two extremely insignificant ones, Amy Smith. Who could expect anything from Amy Smith? But when you said Amy Earle Smith slowly, it sounded rather literary, so I flattered myself. Oakhurst was a name I had used, so for love of it I dubbed myself Earle Oakhurst, and really it sounded quite important and dignified.

A few days afterwards I received half a dozen copies of The Blackpool Chronicle containing my new friend's notice of "Mosses and Midge." It was very flattering and generous, with a sort of half tender, half humorous criticism which showed me the weakness of my work far more clearly than the severest censure would have done. Of course, I wrote to thank my reviewer, and after this we corresponded constantly, our letters growing gradually warmer and more confidential.

At last his book, "Stray Thoughts," appeared, and at a very early date. It was dedicated to "My God-given brother and friend, Earle Oakhurst." How proud I was as I read the words, and then suddenly the terrible thought flashed across my mind that I had deceived him, and made him appear ridiculous to every one who knew that I was a woman. It was characteristic of him that he had never inquired or troubled about the sex of his friend, but in his own great honesty had taken it for granted that I should not deceive him. It was a trifle, and this, alas, I now felt was no trifle.

I knew not what to do, so, like most weak people, did nothing. I did not even acknowledge the copy of "Stray Thoughts" he sent me, with a letter even more affectionate than the first, in which he told me that he had taken it to this time staying in London with a married cousin, and as my "Mosses and Midge" had been somewhat successful, and had managed to get talked about, I had plenty of invitations and enjoyed myself thoroughly, meeting pleasant and congenial people, and being much of it. For I was young, fairly rich, and good looking, and was making nothing from anybody (the great secret of popularity).

One morning, some days after receiving "Stray Thoughts," while I was still debating how I should make my confession, I got a few lines from his author. "I am surprised," he wrote, "not to have had a word of greeting from you; but never mind, 'Stray Thoughts' is going so well that I have not time to ask you to come to London to talk over a new venture with my publisher, so shall soon, my brother and friend, make your personal acquaintance; until then, good-by. I felt overwhelmed with shame, and yet absurdly happy at the idea of really seeing and talking to him. What would he say? Would he forgive me? I looked anxiously in my glass, and thought, 'If he might, for I could not help thinking I looked pleasant, if not pretty, as my friends told me. I could not guess how or where I should meet him, but the next night, when my cousin and I arrived at a musical party, our hostess said to me in a pointed manner, with a smile:

"Your friend is here to-night!"

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"Who is my friend?" I thoughtlessly inquired.

"Cyril Brownie," he answered, with a laugh. "How will he greet his brother and friend, I wonder?"

I felt myself growing scarier with shame and annoyance, for I had, of course, been unmercifully teased about that unfortunate dedication, and had carefully explained to all my friends that the author of the book was I, and not my friend, Earle Oakhurst.

I felt that I could not stay and watch, and turned to tell my cousin I felt ill and must return home, but she had been claimed for a duel, and was already standing by the piano at the opposite side of the room, so I slunk away into the conservatory, where, behind tall camellias and ferns, I trusted to be unobserved until I could speak to my cousin, and persuade her to return with me. I do not know how long I sat there, lost in a dream, when a voice I knew well said quite close to me:

"Have you seen your brother and friend here yet, Mr. Brownie?" I knew she (with a malicious accent on the 'she') was here to be sure, but I just spoke to her cousin, Mrs. Wrayburn.

A grave voice answered slowly: "No, I dare say not. It was a charming little mystery, no doubt, but really it is losing the charm of its first beauty, and of course no many of us believe in those quixotic impersonal feelings. Ah! there she is; let me introduce you, pray, Miss Earle Oakhurst, Mr. Cyril Brownie. Now I must leave you and my little sister, Au revoir."

And Miss Gould floated away, and I became confusedly aware of a pair of very grave blue eyes fixed inquiringly and somewhat coldly on my face.

"I beg your pardon," she said, "but your brother—I conclude he is your brother—is he a great and dear friend of mine. Is he here to-night?"

With poetry, because it is so easy, before we venture to attack the difficult prose, and continued hurriedly: "I am Earle Oakhurst—at least my real name is Amy Earle Smith. I wrote 'Mosses and Midge,' and, added, desperately, seeing how pale and how his face was growing as the first look of surprise changed to one of cold displeasure, 'I am so sorry. Forgive me; I only did it at first for a joke, and afterward I have regretted it entirely heartily. Death seemed nothing to me in comparison with the knowledge that he loved me, for I had seen the love I longed for in his agonized face, and I had heard his voice during the agonizing flicker."

I suppose I fainted after this, for I have a very dim remembrance of seeing lights appear, as if through a fog, and of feeling strong arms helping me on, and then a total blank, until I found myself in a carriage driving slowly along a dimly lighted street.

"She is safe," answered Cyril's voice, "quite safe at home by this time; but you, Amy, are you much hurt? How could I have raised you, and let my forget my horror and misery when I got outside the theatre and found your cousin clinging to me, and you, I knew not where. I rushed in again, but was helpless in the darkness, and at last I found you quite close to the door."

"Have you quite forgiven me?" I asked.

"Yes, my dearest, I forgive you long ago, and loved you too; but after that evening when I was so hard and merciless I feared to tell you what I felt, and you always seemed to avoid me, and treat me as a stranger."

"Oh," I said, between a laugh and a sob, "I thought you never meant to speak to me again, and I heard a lady congratulating you on your approaching marriage to Miss Gould."

"Miss Gould?" he exclaimed. "Why she has just become engaged to Thornton, the artist who painted her portrait in the R. A. this year. What can you mean?"

"I thought," I stammered—"I heard she was engaged directly after hearing you congratulated, and so I thought."

"You are conceited, and will certainly be my very last proof sheet. We have grown old together, since that terrible day of joy and sorrow, and as we sit hand in hand by the fire, and recall the past, we feel that though the first book was a beautiful preface, yet the deepest joy and holiest content came afterward, when the glamour of poetry and passion being past, we saw the glory of art, and the unspeakable beauty of love grew clearer and more divine with every day we passed together, and every line we wrote.—Once a Week."

A Lofly Ideal.

He who would make progress for himself, or who would help others upward, must have clearly before his mind the ideal of the best conceivable attainment. But while a man may perceive this ideal for himself, it is not always wise for him to disclose it to others. If he would be to others a means of inspiration or of instruction all his words and acts must point in the direction of his ideal; but in its explicitness. When Moses would reform the Hebrew view of the marriage relation he made regulations in the direction of the ideal standard of marriage in its pristine purity; but because of the hardness of the people's hearts, through their wrong education up to that point he refrained from exacting of them all that would have been their duty had they been capable of perceiving it as such. So again, Jesus withheld some truths from his disciples which they were not yet able to bear, while all that he said to them was in the direction of the greatest truths known to himself.

And so it must be with every wise teacher and leader. He needs to have his highest ideal ever before himself; but it may not be expedient to bring its dazzling brilliancy immediately before the dull eyes of those whose gaze upward he is lovingly directing.—Sunday School Times.

I felt so miserable that I had never

thought of leaving my seat, but at last, suddenly, and with a frightful scene was no concern of mine, when I was aroused to tingling life again by Cyril's voice close to my ear:

"Take my arm," he said, in low hurried tones, "and for heaven's sake hold fast!"

I clasped it with both my hands, but without a word. He forgave me then; he cared for me; he wished to save me; and the joy of this thought took away all my fear. At the same moment the curtains in one of the boxes near blazed up for a few seconds, and by the light I saw my cousin's agonized face, as she struggled to keep on her feet, and was pressed back by the surging, maddened mass from the pit; she saw us, too, and reached her hand out to us.

"Amy! Cyril Brownie!" she cried: "help me! do not leave me!"

"It is impossible to save you both," he said, hoarsely. "Good God! what can I do?"

I saw what he could do, and said: "Press forward; think only of getting out of this horrible place."

Then the lights flared away again, and with a smothered sob of intense thankfulness I laid my hands from my arm, and, taking my cousin's, gently slipped them into the place and pushed her forward, saying:

"Keep firm hold. I will follow close behind."

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That any resident of this State who, while in the military service of the State, or the Confederate States, lost an arm or a leg, or the use thereof, or who received such wound in said service as renders him incapable physically of making a livelihood by labor, shall be entitled to the benefit of this act, as hereinafter provided; and such resident who desires to avail himself of the provisions of this act must within six months after its passage present a written application to the judge of probate of the county wherein he may reside, that he was a resident of the State at the time of the passage of this act, and is a resident at the time he makes such application, setting forth the company and the regiment or command to which at the time of such service he belonged, the time and place of receiving his wound, the character of such wound, and his present business or employment, which statement must be sworn to before such judge of probate, the original of which said application shall be kept by the judge of probate as an office paper, and a copy thereof transmitted without delay to the Auditor, with a certificate of the probate judge that he believes the statement therein made, entitled to credit, if such probate judge believes such statement to be true; Provided, That any widow who resides in this State, and whose husband was either killed, died of disease, or whose husband died within five years after the close of the war, either from wounds received, or disease contracted during the war; and, provided, said widow has not since remarried, shall be entitled to the equal benefits of this act upon making satisfactory proof to the probate judge of the county in which such surviving widow may reside; and provided further, That neither the soldier nor the surviving widow whose taxable property exceeds four hundred dollars shall be entitled to the benefits of this act.

Section 2. Be it further enacted, That upon the receipt of any copy and certificate as aforesaid, it shall be the duty of the Auditor to register immediately a synopsis of the same, with the name of the applicant, in a book to be kept for that purpose, and at the expiration of seven months after the passage of this act, the amount hereinafter appropriated must be divided pro rata among the claimants, and the Auditor must draw separate warrants on the treasurer, payable to the order of such applicant for a sum not exceeding in amount fifty dollars for each applicant, which sum it shall be the duty of the Auditor to transmit to the probate judge of the county in which the applicant resides; Provided that should any surplus remain after carrying out the provision of this act, it shall be retained in the treasury.

Section 3. Be it further enacted, That any applicant under this act who shall swear falsely to any material matter set forth in his or her application, shall be guilty of perjury.

Section 4. Be it further enacted, That to carry out the provisions of this act, there is hereby appropriated the sum of fifty thousand dollars; but the provisions herein shall not apply to any soldier or the widow of any soldier, who own four hundred dollars worth of taxable property.

Section 5. Be it further enacted, That any probate judge who shall knowingly make a false certificate under this act, shall be guilty of misdemeanor, and on conviction, fined not less than one thousand dollars.

Section 6. Be it further enacted, That twelve hundred dollars of said appropriation shall be distributed among Confederate soldiers who lost their sight in the service of the Confederacy of this State, or who have since lost their sight from the effect of wounds received, or disease contracted in said service; Provided, said blind person has not taxable property of the unincumbered value of one thousand dollars or gross income or salary over the sum of one thousand dollars per year.

Section 7. Be it further enacted, That it is made the duty of the Auditor upon the approval of this act, to furnish each judge of probate in this state with such rulings and instructions relative thereto as will fairly and justly carry out the purposes and objects of the same; provided it shall be unlawful for any person who shall receive any money for the benefit of any claimant under this act to deduct anything from the amount allowed said claimant as fees for services or otherwise.

Section 8. Be it further enacted, That no person shall be entitled to the benefits of this act who holds an office, the salary of which exceeds four hundred dollars per year, and no person shall receive any of the benefits of this act whose salary or

## GENERAL LAWS.

AN ACT. [H. B. 243.]

For the relief of soldiers maimed or disabled during the late war, and the widows of Confederate soldiers whose husbands were killed or injured in said war, and who have not since remarried.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That any resident of this State who, while in the military service of the State, or the Confederate States, lost an arm or a leg, or the use thereof, or who received such wound in said service as renders him incapable physically of making a livelihood by labor, shall be entitled to the benefit of this act, as hereinafter provided; and such resident who desires to avail himself of the provisions of this act must within six months after its passage present a written application to the judge of probate of the county wherein he may reside, that he was a resident of the State at the time of the passage of this act, and is a resident at the time he makes such application, setting forth the company and the regiment or command to which at the time of such service he belonged, the time and place of receiving his wound, the character of such wound, and his present business or employment, which statement must be sworn to before such judge of probate, the original of which said application shall be kept by the judge of probate as an office paper, and a copy thereof transmitted without delay to the Auditor, with a certificate of the probate judge that he believes the statement therein made, entitled to credit, if such probate judge believes such statement to be true; Provided, That any widow who resides in this State, and whose husband was either killed, died of disease, or whose husband died within five years after the close of the war, either from wounds received, or disease contracted during the war; and, provided, said widow has not since remarried, shall be entitled to the equal benefits of this act upon making satisfactory proof to the probate judge of the county in which such surviving widow may reside; and provided further, That neither the soldier nor the surviving widow whose taxable property exceeds four hundred dollars shall be entitled to the benefits of this act.

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Section 8. Be it further enacted, That no person shall be entitled to the benefits of this act who holds an office, the salary of which exceeds four hundred dollars per year, and no person shall receive any of the benefits of this act whose salary or

gross income amounts to the sum of four hundred dollars per year. Approved February 27th, 1889. Official.

C. C. LANGDON, Secretary of State.

AN ACT. [H. B. 86.]

To provide the means of ascertaining the value of stock killed or injured by the trains or locomotives of railroads in Alabama.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That whenever any stock shall be killed or injured by a any railroad train or locomotive it shall be the duty of the section master on whose section such killing or injury occurs, within twenty-four hours thereafter, to notify the owner of said stock or his agent, if known, of the killing or injury to the same.

Section 2. Be it further enacted, That upon the demand of said owner or his agent, it shall be the duty of said section master, to select one disinterested person in the neighborhood, who, together with another disinterested person, who would be a qualified juror in the neighborhood, to be selected by said owner, or his agent, shall assess the value of the stock so killed, or if injured, the amount of such injury, and shall deliver to said section master and to said owner or his agent, a statement in writing, showing the value or amount of injury so ascertained, which statement shall be prima facie evidence of the value of such stock or the amount of such injury in all trials in which such question may arise.

Section 3. Be it further enacted, That if the two persons selected as herein above provided, are unable to agree they shall select a third, and the award of any two of them, shall have the force and effect provided for in section 2 of this act.

Section 4. Be it further enacted, That if the owner of any stock so injured or killed is unknown, then it shall be the duty of such section master to inform the nearest Justice of the Peace, and he and said Justice shall select two disinterested persons in the neighborhood, each selecting one, whose duty it shall be to assess the value of, or amount of injury to such stock, and who shall have the same power as to selecting an umpire, when they can not agree, and whose award shall be certified in the same manner, and shall have the same force as herein above provided for.

Section 5. Be it further enacted, That each of the persons appointed under the provisions of this act shall be entitled to fifty cents for his services, which shall be paid as costs in civil cases is paid.

Section 6. Be it further enacted, That if upon the demand of the owner of the stock or of the Justice of the Peace as herein above provided as the case may be, the section master shall fail or refuse to select an appraiser, then said owner or said Justice may select two disinterested appraisers, living in the neighborhood, the appraisers thus selected shall have the same power and their award shall have the same force and effect as in the case provided for in the preceding sections of this act.

Section 7. Be it further enacted, That any section master knowingly failing to give the notice of the killing or injury to stock as required in by the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Approved February 25, 1889. Official.

C. C. LANGDON, Secretary of State.

AN ACT

To authorize members of the different Farmers' Alliances or other organizations of like kind of the state to organize themselves into a body corporate.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the general assembly of Alabama, That when members of the different Farmers' Alliances, or other organizations of like kind in the state desire to organize themselves into a body corporate, they are hereby empowered to do so under the law authorizing corporations for any industrial business or lawful enterprise, and may proceed to perfect such organization under chapter 2, part 2, title 1 of the code.

Section 2. Be it further enacted, That all laws which are now applicable to corporations under said chapter 2, part 2, title 1, shall apply to such corporations; provided, that the stockholders of such corporation may, through their by-laws, regulate the manner of voting, irrespective of any provisions now required by the code.

Section 3. Be it further enacted, That the provisions of this act shall also apply to corporations already organized by said Farmers' Alliances, or other organizations of like kind.

Approved, February 19, 1889. Official.

C. C. LANGDON, Secretary of State.

People who are in the habit of playfully drawing guns, pistols, or other fire arms on others, whether weapons are loaded or not, would do well to remember that the recent Legislature passed a law making it a misdemeanor to do so, and on conviction of said offence shall be fined not less than ten nor more than one hundred dollars.—Greensboro Watchman.







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Messrs. E. J. Willis, T. E. Whatly and W. F. Leach, are canvassing the county for the sale of Willis' Family Encyclopedia and Alabama General Business Guide. They are taking orders for the book now to be delivered in October. The price is \$2.00, money to be paid when book is delivered. The book comprises dictionary, false pronunciation corrected, guide to business, legal forms, statistics, chronological, history, family medicines, cook book receipts and a great deal more of general information valuable to have. To one who does not have a full library, the book will prove very valuable—much more than the price asked.

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A Marriage Notice.

The Roumanian villages are by no means picturesque as the Bulgarians, which derive most of their beauty from the trees and flowers by which they are surrounded, for every Bulgarian is by nature a naturalist and gardener. In southern Wallachia and along the shores of the Danube the people have a great deal of the ground and roofed over with a mud-thatch, but near Bucharest the houses are fairly built, whitewashed and covered with a thick thatch of cane, which extends beyond the walls and forms a shady veranda supported by poles. I noticed that the walls of some of the houses in the capital were decorated with gaily painted pictures of flowers. The object of these adornments was not aesthetic, but strictly business like. It was practically the same as if a card were hung in the window bearing the inscription: "Young lady of marriageable age to be disposed of. Excellent references and adequate dowry. Price \$100,000. Call on me at once. The method of advertisement is indisputable. A young Roumanian in search of a wife has only to take a stroll through his native capital and he will find a host of eligible damsels. Inquiries follow, and very probably before long he will be married. The English people who are "shocked" by this practical system ought to form a society for the suppression of our own matrimonial journals.—Fortnightly Review.

A Trick of Trade.

While coming up Market street the other day, in the face of a sweeping rain, what was my astonishment upon passing a prominent clothing store to see a blue flag waving in front of the building with "clear and fair weather" on it in large white letters. I thought, how ever, that the proprietor had forgotten to take it down, and passed on. It was still raining when I approached the place the next day. The same flag was fluttering merrily in the breeze in spite of the terrible falsehood it had written on its face. My curiosity was aroused, and I decided to learn, if possible, what object the proprietor could have in allowing it to remain there. I entered the store and asked him the question plainly. At first he gave me evasive answers, but finally he became confidential and said: "That is one of the very best advertisements I ever had. When it rains I put out the flag, and when it is clear I take it down. People passing along the street and noticing the advertisement mistake come into the store and tell me about it. That is when my clerks get in their work, and there are few days when they do not sell from one to five hundred suits than they otherwise would. You know the difficult thing is to get customers inside the door. Why I wouldn't give these flags a hundred dollars each, and they don't make half the noise. Philadelphia News.

A Double Wedding.

"Do I marry many people who have been divorced?" repeated a well known clergyman to a reporter. "It depends entirely," he continued, "on the cause for which the divorce is granted. I follow the scriptural injunction. 'By the way,' he went on, 'I heard of a rather strange marriage which took place a few nights since. At a house in the northwest there was a double wedding. One of the couples were elderly and staid and the bride had been divorced for several years. The other couple were young and the bride was the daughter of a Methodist minister, whom I won't name, but of whose church the old couple were members. They were invited to perform the ceremony. 'He promptly declined to officiate for the divorced woman, but he would have no objection to joining the young folks together. The people made no complaint; they engaged the services of a Methodist local preacher, whose views on the subject of divorce were more liberal than those of their pastor. A few evenings since the two couples and the two preachers stood up together in the same room. The two services were read and the six souls were made happy; four of them because they were wed, and two because they had been presented with respectable fees.'—Washington Star.

Candied Rose Leaves.

"There are plenty of young men who buy them," said the girl. "Some take sweet violets, others like the candied rose leaves, and some prefer pinks done in sugar."

"What is the object of eating candied flowers?"

"To perfume the breath. All young society ladies carry perfumed sweets with them to the theatre and to parties, everywhere they go, indeed. Some of these are tiny lozenges put up in fancy vials like these."

"Oh, those are cheap enough: only 10 cents a bottle. Then there are the mixed flavors for the bonbonnières, the little round boxes fastened to the corsage. Even the gentlemen are taking to them. I use them instead of cloves and coffee to sweeten the breath."—Detroit Free Press.

Simplified.

"Ob what denomination are de chile?" asked an old colored preacher of a young couple who had brought an infant to him for baptism.

"Sah!" said the young father, evidently perplexed by the word "denomination."

"I asked you ob what denomination de chile was," repeated the minister, a little severely.

The parents looked at each other in evident confusion for a moment; then the father stammered out: "I—I—doesn't know what 'ob' mean by 'denomination' sah."

"Don't you don't?" replied the preacher, scornfully. "Well, den, I'll simplify it 'cordin' to yo' ignorance so yo' kin understand it. Are de chile a boy or a gal child?"—Youth's Companion.

A Fine Vessel.

The steamer Robbitt is one of the largest cargo carriers afloat, with a displacement of 3,000 tons, and a length of 193 feet. One day she steamed from New Orleans out into the Gulf and off for Liverpool, carrying the biggest cargo that ever left that port—valued at \$900,000, and composed of 5,000,000 pounds of cotton and 30,000 bushels of corn. The jetties have opened the wharves of New Orleans to the finest vessels in the world.—Public Opinion.

A Michigan chirpologist is making a triumphal progress through the state as "William the Conqueror."

Jas. S. Kelly

Notary Public and Ex-Officio

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,

At Oxford, Ala.

Courts 2nd Saturday in each month

Cheap Money.

As correspondent of the Loan Co. of Alabama, I can offer money on improved farms at reduced rates.

H. L. STEVENSON.

July 1st

A MATHEMATICAL PRODIGY.

The Remarkable Talent of a Half-Witted Negro Countess.

Reuben Field, the mathematical prodigy of Lexington, who has attracted so much attention, was born at Warrensburg, Johnson county, about thirty years ago. His parents were poor, but he was an intellectual faculties than "Blind Tom."

"Blind Tom's" gift is made the more prominent by the barrenness of his mind in other features. He has no intelligence aside from his remarkable manipulation of figures. Give Reuben Field a problem, no matter whether it be in decimal, compound or vulgar fractions; it makes no difference whether it is better suited to the rule of short than long division; it is immaterial whether there are ten figures or 700 in it; whether multiplication or subtraction; and he will, without the aid of paper or pencil, give you the answer before the echoes of your voice in propounding the question have fully died away. As a rule, he cannot write. He does not know one figure from another, and yet mentally, by the gift which he possesses, he can solve any problem submitted to him. As "Blind Tom's" talent of repeating pieces of music played in his presence for the first time by many of the most brilliant performers in the country has been tested and found to be the result of making more wonderful calculations than trap Field, but without success. He gave him a problem which one himself could not solve would not determine whether he was right or wrong, and lest errors might be made the most difficult, "examples" in the higher arithmetics, as well as others originating with their questioner and simple enough except for their long array of figures, have been hurled at him. He has never failed to give his answer, always correct.

Give him the diameter of the wheel of a locomotive, and the distance between any two points—it makes no difference how great—the time spent in traversing this distance, and you have hardly ceased speaking before he gives you the number of revolutions the wheel makes in covering the distance. Give him the distance and the time and he will tell you the diameter of the wheel. Tell him the dimensions of a brick, and say to him a wall is so many feet long, so many high and so many thick, and he promptly tells you how many bricks are in the wall. Not in a reasonable length of time, as these calculations it but instantly, and while skilled accountants who have witnessed his feats have questioned the correctness of his answers, they have found they were in error and Reub was right whenever they did so. Tell him to multiply 9,893,746,822,156 by 73, add 80,572 and divide by 60, and in less time than the reader can calculate it Reub will have the answer ready. These figures are only used as an illustration, but they are simplicity in its purest form compared to some submitted to him. He has gray eyes, and when not engaged in exhibiting his strange gift, they are entirely free of expression, as though they were dead glass; but have him in the excitement of figures and a strange glitter—something little short of an expression of madness—lights them up. The strangest of this half-witted fellow's accomplishments is that, awakened at any hour, he will tell you the time to a second. He does not make a business of exhibiting his power, and it is not always that those who are most kind to him, and whom he knows best, can persuade him to "show off." He says his power came from God, and, if he accepted offers which had been made to him to exhibit with showmen, or to take employment in large business houses, God would take his gift away.—Lexington (Mo.) Cor. Globe-Democrat.

Umbrella vs. Cane.

The gold headed cane which loving children present to dear papa, to remind him that he is growing old and that his tottering footsteps are fetching him to the grave, is a relic of a bygone era. The umbrella is the superintendant as a bit of taffy; or which the retiring minister receives from his doting congregation to help him on his journey, is going out of favor as a gift, in holidays or other times. The gold headed umbrella has taken its place. The umbrella answers all the purposes of a walking stick, without the disadvantage of the latter. It is not a hint of old age, and is more convenient in a rain storm. As eloquent donation speeches may be made over a fine silk umbrella with a gold headed handle as over an ebony wood club that but few men will carry about with them. Possibly the umbrella is more likely to turn up as lost, covered or stolen, with less chance of finding its true owner again than the cane, but that is a disadvantage that comes entirely from the superior value of the umbrella. There is the same distinction between gold and brass.—Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

Feeling a Jeltu.

"Some bright newspaper man," remarked my marine engineer friend, "ought to ship as a deck hand or coal passer on a big lake boat and write up his experiences. He'd get an idea of life unfamiliar to him, and be able to interest his readers with glimpses of a strange, rough, reckless existence, and perhaps if he had a good constitution he'd be all the better for roughing it for a few weeks. He would see some amusing things, too. I remember one night in Chicago, as we were lying near the Clark street bridge, a cab was driven rapidly on to the bridge just as it was crossing a foot of swinging. The cabby was half tipsy, but he was a fare and was rushing away with him for one of the depots. 'Oh, I'll get there,' he says. 'I always do, and you can't stop me.' He went on singing the bridge tenders as he and his cab swung around with the bridge. The vessel went through, the bridge swung to place, but the bridge tenders had put up a job on the jeltu. Away rattled the cab, the driver cracking his whip and yelling, 'I'll get there,' but he didn't, for the bridge tenders had swung the bridge around, and the bridge clear around.—Buffalo News.

Wanted It Done Fashionably.

"Inasmuch as the animal you stoic was only a colt," remarked the leader of the regulars, "we have decided to give you forty-nine lashes with a horsewhip instead of hanging you. But we shall lay them on well."

"I have only one favor to ask, gentlemen," said the prisoner, pale but unflinching.

"What is it?"

"I have never been a criminal and an outcast. I have moved in good society and I know the customs that prevail among our best people. I will take it as a favor, gentlemen, if you will lay the lashes on as far as possible, in regular checks or diagonals. Perpendicular stripes are not worn this season."—Chicago Tribune.

Ah, there, my size? Boys, your sweet hearts will not love you if you do not smoke "Nickel Ante" cigars, for 5c. at

ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

NOTICE.

If parties owing us accounts on our State books do not settle by cash or note by the 1st of January, 1889, they will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection. We mean business.

MARTIN & WILKINSON.

Dec. 2nd, 1888.

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Jan 2nd

NOTICE NO. 8103.

Land Office at Montgomery, Ala.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on December 21st, 1888.

Edward L. Buchanan, Homestead No. 14891, for the NW 1/4 of Sec. 2, T. 10 N., R. 7 E., of SE 1/4, Sec. 2, T. 10 N., R. 7 E., east.

The notice the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence, upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James D. Buchanan, Geo. Gray, James Murphy, Samuel G. Galt, all of Mayfield, Ala.

J. G. GALT, Register.

1888.

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Is the name of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.

Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not grip or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In violent cases, five or six are sold by druggists everywhere, or sent by mail.

CARTER MEDICINE CO., New York.

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WOOL CORDER,

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Oct 20-88

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Caveats, Re-issues and Trade-Marks secured, and all other patent causes in the Patent Office and before the Courts promptly and carefully attended to.

Upon receipt of model or sketch of invention, I make careful examination, and advise as to patentability. Free of Charge.

Fees Moderate, and I make no charge unless Patent is secured. Information, advice and special reference sent on application.

J. H. LITTELL,

Washington, D. C.

Opp. U. S. Patent Office.



## GENERAL LAWS.

AN ACT [S. 177.]

To enable planters, farmers and crop growers to convey by mortgage the planted crops.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That it shall be lawful for planters, farmers and crop growers to mortgage their crop or crops before the same shall be planted, and that such mortgage shall convey the legal title to the same extent as if such crop or crops, were at the time of the execution of such mortgage already planted; provided, that no such mortgage shall be valid so as to convey the legal title, if executed prior to first day of January of the year in which the crop is grown.

Approved February 23, 1889.

Official:  
C. C. LANGDON,  
Secretary of State.

AN ACT [H. B. 176.]

To authorize Judges of Probate to pay over to minors certain funds and take their receipts for the same.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That in all cases where the Judges of Probate are under the law custodians of funds belonging to minors, such Judges may in all such cases where the minor is of the age of eighteen years, and of sound mind, pay such funds to such minor when the amount thereof does not exceed one hundred dollars, and the receipt of the minor shall be a full acquittance and discharge of the liabilities of the Judge, notwithstanding the minority of such parties to whom the fund is going.

Approved February 20th, 1889.

Official:  
C. C. LANGDON,  
Secretary of State.

AN ACT [S. 479.]

To amend section 1 of an act approved Feb. 6th, 1885, entitled, an act to amend section 4114 of the code.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama, That section 1 of an act approved Feb. 6th, 1885, entitled an act to amend section 4114 of the code be amended so as to read as follows: 4114.—Trespassing of stock upon common fence, any one of several parties occupying or cultivating lands under a common lawful fence, or other enclosure, who turns stock of any kind into such enclosure, or knowingly suffers such stock to go at large therein without the consent of all the parties owning or cultivating said lands is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than five, nor more than fifty dollars, and also the amount of damage inflicted by said stock; which damages shall be held as a part of the penalty imposed by the court and shall go to the party injured.

Approved, Feb. 28, 1889.

Official:  
C. C. LANGDON,  
Secretary of State.

### A Home-Made Fertilizer.

Judge John P. Fort is writing a valuable and instructive series of letters to farmers in the Atlanta Constitution, in one of which he says: The main useful elements in a commercial fertilizer are phosphoric acid and ammonia. Potash and lime usually figure as ingredients, but these are not of so much importance. A ton of fertilizer equal in practical results to the best fertilizer sold, can be made by any farmer by taking a sack of acid phosphate (200 pounds) and a sack of cotton seed meal (100 pounds) and mix them together with a hoe. A good hand can mix easily a couple of tons or more of these two substances upon a plank or hard earth floor in a day. The cost of this mixing is not over 25 cents per ton, and it can be done as well and effective as if done with any of the machines used by the manufacturers of fertilizers.

A ton of 2000 pounds of cotton seed meal can be purchased from the mills in the various portions of Georgia at this time for \$22 per ton, or 11-10 cents per pound.

Acid phosphate has made a general advance this season as have also other commercial fertilizers. But it can be purchased and delivered at about \$15 or \$16 per ton.

Estimating the acid phosphate at 2 1/2 of a cent per pound, we find that this material in a ton of fertilizer will amount to 1250 pounds at 2 1/2 of a cent per pound, making \$10.23. The cotton seed meal 900 pounds at 11-10 cent per pound equals \$7.32, by adding them both together we find the cost of material of such fertilizer will be \$17.55, to which add 25 cents per ton for mixing, and to this add 20 cents per ton for loss, and we have \$18 cash that represents the cost of a fertilizer equal to the best in the market.

He says he is not put at great disadvantage in comparing such a ton of fertilizer with that usually sold in the market by reason of the costly components. Nearly all of the fertilizers sold in Georgia are mixed with cheap salt called kainit, worth generally less than \$12 per ton. Sometimes cheaper substances are used and a small amount of some costly material of more value, such as sulphate of ammonia, or dried blood is added, to give scent to the fertilizer, but the amount is so small that it amounts to very little practically.

Hon. B. F. Saffold, a prominent citizen of Selma, is dead. He was at one time judge of the Supreme Court of the State, and has held other high positions.

## The Next Senate.

Half of the Senators go out every two years. It may be interesting to the public to know who are the outgoing and hold over Senators are. They are as follows:

Hold over Senators, odd districts: 1, W. N. Hayes; 3, W. E. Skaggs; 5, W. W. Harrison; 7, L. W. Grant; 9, W. A. Handley; 11, A. C. Hargrove; 13, J. T. Milner; 15, J. H. Parker; 17, N. Stallworth; 19, J. R. Cowan; 21, D. N. Williams; 23, W. C. Steagall; 25, I. H. Parks; 27, J. F. Harris; 29, J. F. Wadell; 31, L. F. Godfrey; 33, D. Smith, making seventeen senators who hold over and who will be in the next Senate.

The outgoing Senators are from the even districts:—1, J. H. Branch; 4, Francisco Rice; 6, J. L. Burnett; 8, Cecil Browne; 10, T. L. Bulger; 12, G. L. Almon; 14, Jerome Clanton; 16, Willis Brewer; 18, B. M. Huey; 20, W. H. Taylor; 22, C. L. Pope; 24, James Lang; 26, C. W. Rumph; 28, E. A. Graham; 30, J. C. Compton; 32, W. B. Inge, making sixteen senators who retire and there will be elections in these districts of Senators at the next general election. In some of these districts there are several counties and in some the custom is to rotate, and in these there will be new men, in the others there there is only one county some of the old Senators may be returned.—Montgomery Advertiser.

### From Texas.

About seven years ago I had the measles, and before the disease left me it attacked my lungs, and gave me what the doctors pronounced Consumption. From the clearly defined symptoms, and the fact that members of my family had been afflicted that way, I am confident they were correct in their diagnosis. I suffered terribly for about five years, becoming almost a living skeleton, with death constantly staring me in the face. I finally concluded to try Swift's Specific as an experiment. I began to improve while taking the first few bottles, and after using a dozen or more I found myself hale and hearty, and with no symptoms of the disease left. I honestly believe S. S. S. will cure consumption if taken in time.

Very truly,  
J. B. McGUIRE.

Dodd, Texas, July 11, 1888.

Knowing that you appreciate voluntary testimonials, we take pleasure in stating that one of our lady customers has regained her health by the use of four large bottles of S. S. S., after having been an invalid for several years. Her trouble was extreme debility, caused by a disease peculiar to her sex.

WILLIS & CO., Druggists.  
Waco, Texas, May 8, 1888.

### Good Advice.

Three years ago I was compelled to throw up my place because of blood poison. I have been railroaded for years, and my condition may be imagined when I had to give up a good job because of sickness. Hot Springs physicians and mercury did me no good. Through the advice of another I began taking S. S. S. and to-day I am well and at work again. What more can I say for the medicine except "go and do likewise."

JASPER NOCHT,  
Liberty, Tenn., July 18, 1888.

Swift's Specific is entirely a vegetable medicine which has ever cured Blood Poison, Scrofula, Blood Humors and kindred diseases. Send for our books on Blood and Skin Diseases, mailed free.

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Drawer 3, Atlanta Ga.

### STATE NEWS.

Montgomery wants to have a fine winter hotel.

Mobile Lodge No. 108 of the order of Elks was instituted in Mobile recently.

Mrs. Julia Thompson, an aged lady of Huntsville, died at her residence in that city on Saturday.

The Kentucky Mills at Sheffield, recently destroyed by fire, will be rebuilt of brick instead of wood.

H. H. Cribbs, of Tuscaloosa, will shortly commence the manufacture of fire brick and clay in that town.

Samuel Treadgill, of Launsdale, was very seriously injured on Saturday by being thrown from his horse.

Tuscaloosa claims as one of her greatest needs is another railroad and wants the L. N. to bring its natural branch to that city.

The thirteen-year old son of John Smith, colored, baggage man at the depot of the M. & C. railway in Huntsville, was run over by a train and completely cut in two.

The editor of the Troy Enquirer is seriously ill, and has had to postpone his annual distribution of presents to the subscribers of that paper until the first Wednesday in April.

The Bessener bonds have been planted in Baltimore at par to the amount of \$30,000, and the proceeds will be used for city buildings, street improvements and the extension of the sewerage system.

Clayton Courier: We learn that Mr. Allen Coggins while trying to hitch a mule to a wagon, happened to the misfortune to have one of his thumbs pulled off and the mule broke his leg.

Mr. R. H. Stephens has sold in this market over forty bushels of sweet potatoes, and he says he now has on hand about fifty bushels more. Bob is a good farmer and never fails to make good crops when anybody else does.

## Tusculum-Democrat—Some little excitement was created last Friday by the effort of several negroes to escape from the county jail. They were captured after a live chase and securely locked up.

Under the law in existence last year it was not legal for a farmer to mortgage an unplanted crop, but at the recent session of the Legislature this was repealed, and a bill passed giving the farmer the right to mortgage his crop before it is planted. This will save the trouble of executing a second mortgage, which had to be done under the old law.—Greensboro Watchman.

## MANHOOD

HOW LOST, HOW RESTORED!

Just published, a new edition of

Dr. Culverwell's Celebrated Essay on the radical cure of Spermatophor or impotency induced by excess or early indolence. The celebrated author, in this admirable essay, clearly demonstrates from a thirty years' successful practice, that the alarming consequences of early error may be radically cured; pointing out a mode of cure at once simple, safe, and reliable, and which every sufferer, no matter what his condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately and radically.

This lecture should be in the hands of every youth and every man in the land. Sent under seal, in a plain envelope, to any address, post-paid, on receipt of four cents or two postage stamps. Address:

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## TAX NOTICE.

Assessor's Second Round.

I will be at the places the days mentioned below for the purpose of assessing the State, County and Poll Taxes for the year 1889, for Calhoun county, State of Alabama. All persons subject to taxation under the law are earnestly requested to meet me promptly at my appointments on this my second round, with a full list of property, with its full cash value, with correct numbers of lands and town lots in every case, as required by law.

According to law all persons are required to give in their own property, or by an authorized agent. Parties giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.

BEAT.

17 DeArmanville, Monday, March 4.  
12 Choccolocco, Tuesday March 5.  
12 Davisville, Wednesday March 6.  
11 White Plains, Thursday March 7.  
10 Rabbit Town, Friday March 8.  
10 Morgan's Store, Saturday March 9.

16 Wilson's Store, Monday March 11.  
16 Ladiga, Tuesday March 12.  
9 Piedmont, Wednesday & Thursday March 13 and 14.  
8 Allsup Friday March 15.  
8 Green's School House, Saturday March 16.

1 Jacksonvile, Monday & Tuesday March 18 and 19.  
3 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday March 20.  
5 Weaver's Station, Thursday March 21.

15 Anniston, Friday and Saturday March 22 and 23.  
13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.  
4 Ganaway's, Wednesday March 27.

4 Bynum's, Thursday March 28.  
14 Sulphur Springs, Mar. Friday 29.  
5 Polkville, Saturday March 30.  
2 Alexandria, Monday and Tuesday April 1 and 2.

15 Chatelaine Station, Wednesday April 3.  
18 Griffin's Store, Thursday April 4.

6 Peck's Hill, Friday April 5.  
7 Hollingsworth's, Saturday April 6.

Feb. 16 3t J. V. RHODES,  
Tax Assessor.

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I walked along the crowded street,  
A dull, distracted mourner,  
And gazed not what awaited me  
As I went round the corner.

There met me one whose sunny face  
The smile of heaven reflected,  
The friendly greeting she bestowed  
Was wholly unexpected.  
For I had thought her hand and cold,  
Of lovers' arms a scorner,  
But she was taken off her guard  
As I turned 'round the corner.

What cared I though the skies were dark  
And threatened stormy weather?  
What mattered any grief at all  
If we two were together?  
The blushes that were on her cheek  
Did really adorn her,  
And oh! I blast the fate that turned  
My steps around the corner.

And thus I find it is through life--  
So full of wondrous pleasures,  
That when we walked amid the gloom,  
Or pressed through tangled masses,  
Feeling all friendless and alone,  
A hopeless, hopeless mourner,  
Some blessings surely lie in wait  
For us around the corner.

### BETWEEN TWO HORNS.

"I tell you, Susan Swing," said Capt. Rose, "there ain't a man that lives between the Two Horns as would let his boy nigger than your'n go out in a boat today. Don't you do it. Tain't no kind of weather for that slip of a lad to go foolin' with them big billows as are blowing around old Dick Head. Why, look yourself, woman. You can see them more'n four miles away dashing and lashing the shore."

As Capt. Rose spoke he pointed with his right hand in the direction of one of the two headlands between which Dell Haven lay.

"And no dory in the harbor," he continued, "could weather Bright Head pointing towards the headland at the left, not if Cap'n Ezekiah himself was a row'n of it. You'd better take them rowlocks out and hide the oars if he won't mind without you doin' it."

"I can't bear to do it," said Mrs. Swing. "Richard will be so disappointed. He set his lobster pots yesterday, and he hasn't slept any all night in his eagerness to go out early and haul them. Don't you see, Capt. Rose, it's Saturday, and two whole coaches full of summer boarders came last night to the Bright Head house, and he can get a big price for his lobsters today. My poor Dick has worked so hard making the lobster pots himself, and it seems like cutting off the boy's reward to say 'you shan't go' to him."

"S'pose you do feel wakin' 'bout it, Susan; but you don't want that ear of boat to be picked up adrift and no boy in it, do ye?"

"You know I don't, Capt. Rose," she said. "If I hadn't loved him do you think I'd get up before daylight to come down here to see the lad off?"

"Hush," said the captain. "Here he comes, and he's faster than a steam train to his buttons. He sees there is wind enough ahead."

It was a morning in June, and the sun was not yet risen, but the glory of his coming was in the east and on the sea.

As he came down the pier, the oars on his shoulder, and securing his straw hat by a string to his jacket, the old captain said: "Here's a fine lad, Dick is, and well worth the saving."

"He's all the world to me," thought Mrs. Swing, although her lips uttered no word.

"Good morning, Capt. Rose," called out Richard. "Good for lobsters, do you think?"

"Better for lobsters than 'is for boys," ejaculated the captain, removing his broad brown hands from his pockets and laying one of them on the lad's shoulder as soon as the latter came within touching distance. "I say, Dick Swing, that you are not going out in that cockle shell of your'n this morning," he announced.

"I certainly am, Capt. Rose," returned the boy. "It's a little rough, but like as not the wind will come and blow before I get half way to the ledge, and I should think you would know better than to scare my little mother here half to death. See, mother," he said gayly, "I have an extra ear and one thole pin, yes, two of them, in case a row lock gives way, and I've got a lot of extra courage about me that I can't exactly show you unless you come with me."

"This he said looking out to sea, for he did not feel like looking either at his mother or Capt. Rose.

"Dick," said Mrs. Swing, approaching the pier's edge as the owner of the little boat proceeded to bestow his lunch basket and extras under the bow.

"Well, mother," returned Richard, looking up.

"I wish you would not go," she said, her tones full of beseeching.

"Why, mother? Do you want my seven new lobster pots to be carried off to sea?" he asked. "How could you have the heart to ask me? If this wind keeps on blowing I shall lose them every one."

"That's true," ejaculated Capt. Rose. "I never thought of that. It's just right, this wind is, to drag them off, yes, you never can haul them in alone. You'll be sure to be dragged overboard."

"No, I shan't. Come along with me if you want to help," laughed Richard.

"Humph! I should sink that craft before we got out of harbor," said the captain, "though if I wasn't so heavy would go." Capt. Rose weighed a trifle less than 300 pounds, and had left the sea after fifty years of faithful service.

Not another person was in sight.

"I'll tell you what I'll do," said the captain. "If you insist on going I'll stop on my way up and ask Capt. Danforth to look out for you, and if he thinks you're getting into trouble to sail after you."

"Thank you, captain,"

"Dick," said his mother, "can't you let the lobster pots go?"

"Couldn't possibly," smiled the boy. "Could you have the heart to ask me? Will you cast me off, mother?" he called a second later.

"Wal, a minute," exclaimed Mrs.

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Swing. "Fetch your boat close up. I want to speak to you, Dick."

The boy received the necessary impetus and touched the side of the pier. Mrs. Swing had seated herself on the topmost layer of logs forming the wharf, and leaned over as though to speak confidentially to her son.

"Dick," said his mother, "hold fast! I'm coming," and into the boat she dropped before either Capt. Rose or the dock or Capt. Richard in the boat had knowledge of her intention.

"What under the sun, mother," cried the boy, "do you mean?"

"I'm going with you, Dick, to keep you from tumbling overboard when you haul in," and she seated herself in the stern, calling back as the tide floated the boat out. "We depend on you, Capt. Rose, to send after us if we—if it gets too rough," she gasped, with a dash of spray in her face.

"Ay, ay!" cried the captain, and he took off his hat and swung it, he scarcely knew why.

Of all the women in Dell Haven, from the eldest to the youngest, Mrs. Swing most feared the sea. To live beside it, to watch its every mood, delighted her; but to venture on it for pleasure she was never known to do.

A moment's peace she never knew when Richard, her only son, was exposed to the treachery of the waters, but rather than mar his wild delight in wind and waves this selfish mother concealed as much as possible her anxiety for him.

Richard was not selfish, and had he imagined what his mother was at that moment suffering would have put the boat about and tied it forever at the stake rather than cause her this agony.

Just as the boat got well into the toil of the waves the sun arose, shedding his brilliance on the waters that Mrs. Swing, who sat facing it, was dazzled and fell right failed to see in time a gull net into which the boat was running.

"See any boat ahead, mother?" questioned Richard. "You must keep a good lookout for me. I've got my ranges right and can fetch the lobster grounds every time."

"Is it far?" questioned his mother shudderingly.

"Not very, just outside Dell Head. I reckon we'll fetch it," said the lad, dipping his oars for a full stroke and then letting the boat slide up to the summit of a rolling wave, a trick he had caught from Capt. Ezekiah Danforth, the master boatman of Dell Haven.

The wind grew stronger and stronger, and the waves every moment increased in size. Even Richard glanced sideways more than once with ill-concealed anxiety as the long billows came tumbling on, and just then getting a glimpse of his mother's face he beheld it so blanched with terror of the sea that it seemed to him his mother was no longer in the boat with him.

"Dick," she gasped, as his oar missed stroke and sent the spray over the boat, "Dick, turn back, go back, go back!"

Dick glanced backward. He had pulled about a mile from shore and was midway between the two headlands familiarly spoken of as the Horns. Dick Head was surrounded by an even accumulating mass of breakers, and Bright Head caught the sea on its precipitous sides, sending it backward in fountains of foam, and all four miles that lay between the two points were rolling miles of billows.

Sitting with his face landward Richard had not fully felt the danger.

Now, the lad could not repress a shudder as he said: "I don't believe I could find the buoys in such a sea, and nobody could haul in the pots. I believe I'll put about."

"Oh, dot Oh, Richard, there comes an awful one!" and Mrs. Swing slipped down from her seat into the bottom of the boat and hid her face from the oncoming wave.

Richard gave a mighty pull at the oars to keep the boat head on, and it rode that wave in safety only to meet new ones, into whose depths the tiny shell rolled to be completely hidden from the sight of two men who were standing out on the Dell Haven pier.

One was Ezekiah Danforth, the other was Capt. Rose.

"If there was only a tug in sight to help them," groaned Capt. Rose.

"Why didn't you dun a little common sense into the woman if she didn't take any naturally," scolded Capt. Danforth, "or shoo her and the boy up somewhere."

"I told her, but I declare when I was young I could have brought down them oars in half the time it takes Jim to fetch 'em. I say, 'Kiah Danforth, ain't that boat trying to put about?"

"It acts like it, John, but it will get swamped just as sure as guns if—no, it's going on. There's nothing else to do. I never in all my life saw a time when there wasn't a sail in sight. \* \* \*

The boat's gone! No! There it comes up again!"

Suddenly a cry for a helping hand was raised among the bystanders, and willing hearts went forth from the land.

"Every second tells. It's a race for life," called out Capt. Danforth. "Jim, you'd better get out. You're strong; if one of us tuckers out you can take hold."

All ready lay the boat, a dark green surf boat, a boat that could stand heavy seas, and the two men and boy who had nobly volunteered were not long in starting off.

"Success to you. Fetch 'em back all!" called out Capt. Rose.

All at once the pier at Dell Haven seemed thronged with people. The news had spread that Mrs. Swing and Richard were out alone on the sea.

As they watched the dim, dark speck, now rising upon the swelling waters and as quickly vanishing from sight, not one of the little thronging people, the danger of the tiny boat, but knew the danger they watched the surf boat as its two rowers stood at the oar urging it onward.

"It's down the harbor now. They're catching it. It's an awful wind for June. Do you think they're gaining on 'em? That mite of a boat will never live till the end of the world, but know the danger of the tiny boat. With breathless eagerness they watched the surf boat as its two rowers stood at the oar urging it onward.

"Thank you, captain,"

"Dick," said his mother, "can't you let the lobster pots go?"

"Couldn't possibly," smiled the boy. "Could you have the heart to ask me? Will you cast me off, mother?" he called a second later.

"Wal, a minute," exclaimed Mrs.

befry of Dell Haven church, as far up as he could go, and watched through a spy glass the progress of the mere speck in the distance and the toiling helpers so far behind.

After a few minutes he realized that Capt. Danforth, although doing his utmost, could not reach the periled ones in time to save them, and he said to himself:

"The boy is doing well, but he can't hold out. I must do it." Capt. Rose's little daughter had followed her father into the church and climbed the befry stairs.

"See here, Dolly," he said. "Can you look through here and keep sharp watch? No, you run—you can go quicker'n I can," and the captain scribbled a message on the back of an envelope, and giving it her, bade her make haste to the telephone office. "You tell Johnny Blake it's to save life and it must go ahead of everything."

Dolly Rose did not need to be told twice. She ran every step of the way, and, rushing into the telephone office, flushed and eager, cried out:

"Mr. Blake, here, send this quick. Richard Swing and his mother are going to drown, and it's to save them!"

The operator took the envelope and read:

Capt. True, steam tug Good Heart, Crowell harbor—Steam out at once in search of small boat—woman and boy in it—off Dell Haven three miles; going against the wind; can last hour.

Just Rose.

"All right," said the operator, clicking away at his machine for a minute or two, and then exclaiming, "It's done. Wait a minute, sis, and I'll tell you whether or not he gets it; wire runs right down to the wharf."

The minutes went by. Ten had passed when the answer came back:

Steam's up; start at once; go myself.

The operator did not stay to write it. "Run quick and tell your father Capt. True is gone already," he said.

Dolly ran, saying to every one she met, "They'll be saved! They'll be saved!" The child got up to the befry stairs, and couldn't utter a word. She could only smile and bow her head and try to get out the message, which she did at last.

Capt. Rose's eye was on the speck. He dared not take it off lest never to find it again. Meanwhile, the news got abroad that Capt. Rose had telegraphed to Crowell for a tug, and the burden of fear grew lighter.

In the little boat again and again had Richard tried to turn his head towards the land, but with each trial it took so much water that he was forced to give up the attempt. Nothing could be done but keep off and face the boiling sea. Very few words were spoken. Mrs. Swing kept bailing as fast as possible, with only the shell of the horseshoe crab to work with.

At length came a wave like a small hill, upon which the boat rose gallantly, and then suddenly Richard shouted:

"They're coming for us, mother. I see a boat just outside the harbor."

Then the tears sprang to Mrs. Swing's eyes. She stopped bailing for a moment to look towards the shore. All she could see was a wall of water shutting out the land.

"Courage, mother," Dick said.

Every rise and fall of the car was a prayer; every dip of the poor old crab shell was a petition for life.

Out from Crowell harbor, seven miles to the eastward, and hidden from sight by Bright Head, steamed the tug Good Heart. Never had its captain stood watching the sea with more earnest gaze. Never was steam applied with more generous hand. 'Twas the woman and the boy in the boat out at sea that lived in the gore, in the steam and in the fuel, and Good Heart bore away with cordial speed until Bright Head was won and weathered.

"Iscit!" shouted the captain, "though how in thunder it's lived to get there's more'n I know," and he gave directions to steam outside.

Richard's attention was so divided between the billows and the land and the friendly boat, and Mrs. Swing was so intent on bailing, that neither of them saw the tug until it was upon them, and a halting voice shouted:

"Hold on till we pick you up."

It seemed as if a voice from heaven had spoken. Even bluff old Capt. Rose up to the befry of the church, ejaculated:

"Thank God!" as he saw the tug come to the shock of the call, the sight of the black, throbbing tug, friendly as they seemed, yet came near swamping the boat, for Richard let it turn, and the last strength he had was put forth in holding it up to the wind until a line was cast off, and even then he had no power to make it fast. It was Mrs. Swing who took the commands that came but could not.

Finally the tug's boat was lowered. It was no easy task to get to leeward and board the Good Heart, which held its breath, bracing itself against the waves almost as a thing of life to do its kindly office. Richard and his mother had been saved.

"Give 'em a signal! Give 'em three!" and the steam whistle blew three shrieks that went over the bay and into the harbor and over against the meeting house steeple, until old Capt. Rose fell down on his knees to utter the first prayer of thankfulness his little Dolly had ever heard her father offer—Sarah P. Fritchard in New York Graphic.

Ten Hours of Sleep.

James Payn, the novelist, says that the only salvation of our writers and literary classes in general lies in going to bed early, getting ten hours' sleep and understanding that brain work needs more complete and certain recuperation than ordinary physical labor. The office and the necessity of sleep is getting to be better appreciated. Little is heard nowadays about burning midnight oil. Obedience to physiological laws alone will enable a man to escape mental breakdown at an early age. Genius cannot overtake nature. It is impossible to turn night into day, or to habitually do two days' work in one. Common sense and method are better than brilliance, and judgment is in the end ahead of genius.—New York Star.

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General Surprise All Around—What Judge David C. Clifton Says of the Appointment.

Montgomery Dispatch.

Gov. Seay yesterday appointed Wm. L. Martin of Scottsboro attorney-general, to fill the unexpired term of Mr. McClellan, who has been appointed one of the justices of the state supreme court.

The official announcement was made from the governor's office about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and was quite a surprise in this city, as it was not very generally known that Mr. Martin's name had been mentioned in connection with the appointment.

Mr. Martin, the newly-appointed attorney-general, is about 35 years old, and has been a member of the Scottsboro bar for a number of years. He is not widely known outside the local bar, but members of the supreme court of Alabama, before whom he has practiced, speak in the highest terms of his ability.

Judge Clifton, in an interview with a Dispatch reporter last night concerning the new appointee, said: "I know Mr. Martin well, as do the other members of the court, as he has had cases before us on several occasions. He is a young man, but a good lawyer, and prepares his briefs with great care. He is a close student of the law, as his briefs clearly show, and he will make a capital attorney-general. From the list of applicants the governor has made a good selection."

Is the appointment not a surprise? "Yes, somewhat. I expected, if it went outside of this city, Mr. Burnett would get the appointment."

"Besides, I learn that Mr. Martin declined to make a personal application. His friends, however, urged his appointment, but I did not know the extent of the influence they were bringing to bear in his favor."

Other lawyers were approached for an interview, but they declined to talk, and especially to express an opinion, as they knew but little of the appointee. Mr. Tennant Lomax, city solicitor, however, knows him, and speaks very kindly of him personally as well as professionally.

There were nine applicants for the appointment on file in the governor's office, and these applications represented nearly every section of the state. The governor gives it to Jackson county, one of the best counties in the state—a county which has produced such distinguished men as Williamson, R. W. Cobb, John H. Worwood, John Snodgrass, Wm. Barclay and many others.

GREAT GATHERING AT HUNTSVILLE.

Active Preparations are in Progress for the Great Gathering at the Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association in Huntsville, April 18, 19, 20 and 21.

Arrangements for the presentation of carefully written papers upon all phases of work for young men have been made, and some of the leading workers of this and adjoining States will be present. Mr. C. L. Gates, formerly State Secretary of Alabama, now one of the Secretaries of the International Committee will be in the State for one month prior to the convention to complete the details of the meeting, and will visit all the Association of the State during that time.

Mr. W. J. Mott, Secretary of the International Committee will also be present at the convention. Messrs. J. V. Read, State Secretary of Tenn., and Mr. W. A. Wynne, Gen. Sec'y, at Macon, Ga., it is to be hoped will assist in the presentation of some of the topics.

A part of one session will be given to the work of the Association in Colleges, and very interesting papers will be read by students from the colleges of our state. This department will be in charge of Mr. Mott.

Special attention will be given to the musical features of the convention and as Huntsville has pledged herself to royally entertain her guests (although no pledge was necessary) those attending will have abundant enjoyment as well as instruction. Not only those connected with the Young Men's Christian Association but all interested in aiding and directing young men to a better, nobler, more useful life are cordially invited to be present.

Those intending to attend the convention should notify Mr. Ira F. Collins, President of the Y M C A of Huntsville, before April 10th if possible so that entertainment may be secured for them in advance. Arrangements will be made for a reduction of fares from all parts of points in the State.

TALLADEGA.

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# The Republican.

L. W. GRANT, Publisher.

MARCH 23, 1890.

The Hewitt-Inman party from New York, representing fifty million dollars of capital, were in Anniston Monday, and were much pleased with the outlook.

The Republican, last week noted the fact that this section had the advantage over the Jefferson county iron region for the manufacture of iron, owing to the superiority of our brown hematite ores over the red fossiliferous ores about Birmingham. This view of the matter has been quickly confirmed by an English gentleman named Anderson who is a practical iron worker. He has spent several months at Bessemer, during which time he made a careful study of the mineral resources of that section. A few days ago he visited Anniston and studied the mineral resources of this section. The ores of this region, Mr. Anderson declares, is at least 30 per cent. better than that found in any other portion of North Alabama and is the equal, if not the superior of any in the South.

The expressions from the Hewitt-Inman party at various points along their southern route of travel as to the wonderful mineral richness of the South, as well as the open confession of Mr. Carnegie as to the ultimate superiority of this region in iron manufacture, falls with pleasant effect upon the ears of a people who for twenty-five years, following the war, have trod the desolate paths of poverty, but who now can see, in the near future, ease and comfort if not affluence. The people of this section of the South have indeed a rich heritage, but it is locked in the bosom of the earth and needs a golden key to open it. The declaration of Mr. Inman that this year will witness a greater influx of Northern money for the development of the South than for any two previous years, is the best thing that was said by any member of the party. Let us hope that he may not be mistaken in his pleasing prophecy.

Work has actually commenced on the Chattanooga Southern road and the money has been raised in the East to build it to McLemore's Cove. The intention of the company is to continue straight on from the cove to Montgomery. This road will necessarily pass through Jacksonville and will put us forty-five miles nearer Chattanooga than now by rail. Mr. Tom Crutchfield, the President of the road, lived in Jacksonville when a boy and knows this country thoroughly. In a letter to the Chattanooga Times two or three years ago he indicated Jacksonville as one point on the line. Indeed it cannot go to Anniston without passing here, unless it is intentionally deflected on a longer line at immense expense. The Republican contained a letter some years ago from the pen of Rev. J. J. D. Renfro, warmly advocating the very route for a railroad that these mounted men have adopted.

The absurdity of the position of the Montgomery Advertiser that representation in future State Conventions of the Democratic party of Alabama should be based upon population or upon basis of representation in the Legislature, which amounts to the same thing, will at once appear from a comparison of the population, by races, of Lowndes and Calhoun. The census of 1880 shows the total population of Lowndes to be 31,173; that of Calhoun to be 19,991. On a basis of one delegate to every 1,000 or fraction over 500 of population Lowndes would have 31 delegates and Calhoun would have 20 delegates in the next State convention.

In Lowndes there are 5,545 white people and 25,528 negroes. In Calhoun there are 14,134 white people and 5,537 negroes. Everybody knows that in Alabama party lines are drawn very nearly on the color line, and that Calhoun casts a larger democratic vote than Lowndes; and yet the basis proposed by the Advertiser would give Lowndes, under the above apportionment, 11 more votes in a Democratic State convention than Calhoun. If the growth of population in this section of the State since 1880 (especially in Jefferson and Calhoun) be taken into account, the inequality will appear more glaring.

With representation based upon white population alone, Lowndes would have 6 delegates and Calhoun would have 14. This basis would not be exactly fair, however, for there are more white Republicans in Calhoun than in Lowndes; but it would be much fairer than the basis proposed by the Advertiser. Taking Dallas and Calhoun and the inequality appears more striking. Dallas would have 40 delegates while Calhoun has 2,700 more white people than Dallas as shown by the census of 1880, the difference being much more largely in favor of Calhoun now than then, as a matter of course.

Both the Mobile Register and the Birmingham Herald have shown that there is no material difference between the basis proposed by the Advertiser and that now existing, so far as results are concerned.

The Advertiser surely does not expect the white democracy of this section to accept its stone for a fish. Does it underestimate the intelligence of this part of the State when it grave-

schoolboy can figure out as no change at all? What sensible reason can be given for basing party representation on population, when it is known that party strength widely differs in counties of the state having about equal population? If the Advertiser complacently imagines it has fixed the matter up, it is doomed to a rude awakening. It cannot help its case, either, by charging infidelity to party upon newspapers which do not accept its transparent dodge as fair dealing.

The question has come to stay and must be fairly settled. It has been precipitated, at this time, not by a representative of the white counties, but by an honest and fearless politician of the black belt, and since it has come it must be settled on principles of equity and right. Because the people of this section have long borne with a system of representation, now confessed from that section to be unjust to them, out of consideration for the peculiar situation of the white people of the black counties, it does not follow that they are fools rather than self-sacrificing patriots; and it is no complaint to the Advertiser to urge its shallow mockery of a fair adjustment gravely, as if it expected its acceptance with content. That paper would have appeared in better light if it had not sought, as it thought, cunningly, to break the force of Gen. Pettus' letter by such puerile suggestion; but rather had thrown itself upon the generosity of the white democracy of the hills and plainly demanded of them continued sacrifice of political interests for the good of their race throughout the State. This might have met generous acceptance. Its present proposition is only met with a curl of the lip.

## Newspapers and Periodicals.

The Anniston Watchman has changed its name to the Evening News.

We are in receipt of the first issue of the Carbon Hill Dispatch, a new paper just established in Walker county. It has no politics.

The Atabama Medical Journal, published at Anniston by Dr. J. C. LeGrand is on our table. It is altogether highly creditable to its projector and we are glad to note that it promises to be a financial success. It ought to be patronized by every physician in the State and those of other professions who find an interest in medical questions, and who does not?

## Physicians Confess.

All honest, conscientious physicians who give B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) a trial, frankly admit its superiority over all other blood medicines.

Dr. A. H. Rogge, Nashville, Tenn., writes: "All reports of B. B. are favorable, and its speedy action is truly wonderful."

Dr. J. W. Rhodes, Crawfordville, Ga., writes: "I confess B. B. is the quickest medicine for rheumatism I have ever tried."

Dr. S. J. Farmer, Crawfordville, Ga., writes: "I cheerfully recommend B. B. as a fine tonic alternative. Its use cured an excruciating neck after other remedies effected no perceptible good."

Dr. C. H. Montgomery, Jacksonville, Ala., writes: "My mother insisted on my getting B. B. for her rheumatism, as her case stubbornly resisted the usual remedies. She experienced immediate relief, and her improvement was truly wonderful."

A prominent physician who wishes his name not given, says: "A patient of mine whose case of tertiary syphilis was surely killing him, and which no treatment seemed to check, was cured with about twelve bottles of B. B. He was fairly made up of skin and bones and terrible ulcers."

Greenville Advocate: The LeConte pear trees are now in full bloom and large orchards that bear such delicious fruit, present a pretty picture.

## NOTICE.

### Re-Registration of Claims Against the Fine and Forfeiture Claims.

Under an Act of the Legislature, approved February 27th, 1889, all persons holding claims against the fine and forfeiture fund of Calhoun county, Alabama, which were registered previous to January 1st, 1891, are required by said act to present them to the county treasurer of said county, within twelve months from the passage of said act, viz: Feb. 27, 1890, for re-registration, or they will be barred. All parties who hold such claims are urgently requested to look them up and bring or send them to the undersigned for re-registration. It puts our fine and forfeiture account in better shape, and costs you nothing only to hand them in.

I. L. SWAN, County Treasurer, Calhoun County, Ala.

### FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In probate Court for said county, Special Term, March 21st, 1890.

This day came John H. Weaver, Comptroller for the sale of the real estate which was owned jointly by Mrs. J. A. Adams and J. A. Glendon, and died in Court his account and vouchers for a final settlement of the proceeds of the sale of said realty.

It is therefore ordered by the Court that the 14th day of April 1890 be and is hereby appointed the day upon which to settle and pass upon said account and vouchers and settlement; and that notice thereof be given for three successive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper printed and published in said county, and a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear before me, on said 14th day of April 1890 and contest said settlement if they think proper.

J. G. HARRIS, Judge of Probate.

## OBITUARY.

Entered into eternal rest, on the 4th of March 1890, at 7:15 P. M., from the residence of her son-in-law, Maj. T. W. Francis, "Cane-Creek," Calhoun county, Alabama, Mrs. Anne Hoke Abernethy, widow of the late Miles W. Abernethy, of Jacksonville, Ala.

She deceased was born the 1st of October 1812, in Lincoln county, N. C., married there and removed to Alabama about 1837, where she remained to the time of her death.

The testimony of those who knew and loved her well is that from childhood to old age purity of thought, word and deed characterized her life.

The last of a family of eleven, she herself was spared to see a lovely group of seven children grow up around her, attain to man and womanhood and most of them married and happily settled in life and conscientious and devoted members of Christ's body on earth. An All-wise and ever-loving Father visited her with two of his saddest dispensations in removing from presence for a time, first, her only son, who fell gallantly fighting for his States' rights and the cause of the Southern Confederacy, and then the beloved partner of her life, who had been a staff upon which she leaned and the great solace of her declining years. But He, who doeth all things well, ever brought good out of this seeming evil; for it brought her to learn more completely and confidently upon, and take counsel with, and receive strength from Him, who is the source of all our comfort.

Although of fragile physique, she devoted her time and attention to her family, never too weary to attend to their comfort and even willing to spend her little strength in ministering to their wants. Yet, engrossed as she was in the cares of the earthly household, she did not forget that she had a building not made with hands eternal in the heavens; and she was diligent in fitting herself for that blessed mansion, using all the means of grace appointed to that end, and adding to her faith virtue; and to her virtue knowledge; and to her knowledge temperance; and to her temperance patience; and to her patience godliness; and to her godliness brotherly kindness; and to her brotherly kindness charity; so that, when after years of patient suffering as an invalid, borne with un murmuring faith, she heard her Father's loving summons bidding her "come up higher," she heralded it as an angel of mercy calling her to exchange a troubled, cross-bearing, thorn-strewn pilgrimage for a home of eternal rest and a crown of eternal joy.

Her last days were spent in praising God, the psalms were her glory and she would have her children constantly read them to her, and her last words were a triumphal song as she marched through the dark valley of the shadow of death to the farther shores of the chrystal sea. The remains were interred at Jacksonville, Ala., by the Rev. J. F. Smith.

"There is no death! The stars go down To rise upon some fairer shore; And bright in Heaven's jeweled crown They shine for evermore."

There is no death! an angel form Walks over the earth with silent tread: He leaves our best loved things away, And then we call them "Dead."

He leaves our hearts all desolate, He plucks our fairest, sweetest flowers; Transplanted into bliss, they now Adorn immortal bowers.

And ever near us, though unseen, The dear immortal spirits tread: For all the boundless universe IS LIFE—there are no DEAD.

W. T. ALLEN.

Sleepless nights, made miserable by that terrible cough, Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. Sold by Hough & McManus.

Chew Rye-grass tobacco. Cures heartburn. For sale by Porter, Martin & Co.

Greensboro Beacon: The indications at present are favorable for a fruit crop. Though there have been several light frosts, and thin ice two or three times since March came in, we do not think there was much, if any, fruit killed. The peach trees are generally in bloom and look promising.

Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. Sold by Hough & McManus.

Porter, Martin & Co. sell the Hygeia Tobacco. Cures heart burn.

Sheffield Enterprise: Two thousand tons of ore and one thousand tons of coke to come into Sheffield every day and seven hundred tons of pig iron to go out, will make a very respectable business of itself. And that is the kind of business the furnaces will give us.

Why pay 10 cents for a cigar when you can purchase the "Nickel Ant" cigar for 5 cents at

ROWAN, DEAN & Co.

The heavy wind late yesterday evening played havoc with the tents on Bank Street. One, on the corner of Bank and Lafayette, was entirely demolished.—Declarer Herald.

## NOTICE NO. 5671.

Land office at Montgomery, Ala. March 19th, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on April 20th, 1890, viz: Thomas, James, claimant, P. M. No. 1584, for the SW 1/4 of Sec. 24, T. 16 N., R. 10 E., Co. 10, 1889. He desires the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Michael D. Porter, Anniston, Alabama; John H. Garrett, near Anniston, Alabama; William M. Hames, Jacksonville, Alabama.

J. G. HARRIS, Register.

## HEAT AND HEADS.

It is supposed that the Sun will scalden the Human Skull.

One of the most interesting things mentioned by Professor Virchow in his little book, entitled "Medical Remembrances of an Egyptian Journey," is that he described an excursion up the Nile as far as the first cataract, is that the broken skulls on the first great sepulchral fields, dating from Roman times, are as thick and hard as Herodotus says those of the slain Egyptians were in comparison with the brittle ones of the Persians. One Greek historian explains this by attributing it to the early exposure of children to the heat of the sun; and in many parts of Upper Egypt the German travelers actually found young children thus exposed during their parents' absence in the fields in unseasonable clay bowls, resembling in shape a champagne glass with a stem, into which they were put without shelter.

This discovery by Professor Virchow is interesting, because it at once suggests the question whether the proverbial thickness of the skull of the negro has not been due to exposure to the sun, and whether it is a peculiarity of savages of tropical countries that their skulls are thicker and harder than those of the inhabitants of temperate and colder countries. Students of craniology have never made any investigation to ascertain whether the skulls of different races vary in degrees of hardness. It would be almost impossible to make such an inquiry. As is well known, the human skull increases in hardness from childhood to maturity and age. A miscellaneous collection of skulls of any given people would therefore be of no value in such an investigation.

To obtain a collection of skulls of a number of nationalities, that should be taken from subjects all of the same age, to have them all similarly prepared and in sufficient numbers to make it possible to compare the general conclusions from their comparison with each other, would be manifestly impossible. More attention has been given to the relative thickness of different skulls, or rather to their weight, from which their thickness may be inferred.

Of the large collection of crania in the Army Medical museum at Washington the thickest are those of negroes and Alaskan Indians. The skulls of other Indians, both of North and South America, in tropical or temperate climates, and of the Eskimo, do not appear to be particularly thick. Among the ancient Peruvian skulls recently received by the museum, and the ancient crania collected in Arizona last summer, there are frequent individual variations in thickness, but no tendency to unusual thickness. The conclusion from these facts is that exposure to the sun probably does not cause thickness of the human skull. In connection with this subject, it is interesting to note that among the Australians the sinus frontalis is generally found to be solid in the males, instead of being hollow, as in the skulls of other races. This bone in the male Australian generally extends straight across the head, the lower side overlapping the eyes so that they seem to look out from under it, while in the North American Indians a modification of shape deprives them of that heavy look about the forehead. The heavy sinus frontalis of the Australians, of course, increases the weight of the skull.—American Analyst.

## Favorite Doctors.

I suppose on an average, for a week or a month, I shave as many men as any barber in St. Louis, and yet by any of the tests of speed usually employed I would prove a slow man, or at best only ordinary. But you will notice I am always busy; customers wait for me while other barbers in the shop are idle. There are two reasons for this—tricks of the trade. You will notice I have the front chair in the shop; that is, I am nearest the street door. In these busy times men begrudge even the time they have to spend in idleness while being shaved, and they will want to see what is going on and who is passing. I frequently have customers jump from the chair and rush out the door, out on the street and drag in a friend, or a man they want to see on important business. Another trick of the trade I employ is simply to wipe every man's face perfectly dry. Nine barbers out of ten, after shaving a man, go over his face in a mechanical sort of way with a towel, leaving the corners of his mouth, under the mustache, the eyes and the ears wet. I never do this, and the consequence is that my customers come back, and many of them wait for me, even at the expense of loss of time, confident that they will feel comfortable when they have my chair.—Barber in Globe-Democrat.

Charity Begins at Home. Said a prominent physician yesterday: "Of all about, gall, here's a letter I received clear from London, England, soliciting subscriptions for a Home for Destitute Children, and inclosed was a little book detailing how children could be bought for 6s. 7d. for purposes of begging, and setting forth that the company had 3,000 children—deaf, halt and blind—that they were taking care of. While the cause may be a good one, it appears to me that Americans have about all they can do to take care of their own poor, abandoned, orphaned and crippled waifs without giving the water to dispense charity."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Knew Dickens Well. Dickens used to tell a story of meeting with a clergyman in a railway train who led forth to him four passengers over so long upon the north's private failings. "Dickens is an atheist, sir, as I happen to know; he is also a gambler, and I regret to say drinks," and so on. "Dear me, how sad. Have you ever seen him drunk?" asked Dickens. "Well, not exactly drunk, but certainly overtaken by liquor." "Have you ever seen him sober?" "Well, that is too much to say. Oh, yes, I have seen him sober." "Often?" "Yes, often." "No, sir, only once. You see him now for the first time." (Curtain.)—San Francisco Argonaut.

For sale back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Cure. Price 25 cents. Sold by Hough & McManus.

Declarer Herald: The State and county tax collector says he has about six hundred delinquent tax payers from whom he will have to collect by law.

Judges, Lawyers and Physicians highly recommend the "Nickel Ant" cigar as the only promoter to happiness. For sale for 5c. at ROWAN, DEAN & Co.

## OUR Advice to Everybody.

who has a diseased Liver is to once take proper means to cure it. The function of the Liver is to secrete bile, and on the regular secretion of this depends not only the general health of the body, but the powers of the Stomach, Hecce, Bile, and the whole nervous system, shows its vast and vital importance to human health.

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should run the risk for a single day of neglecting this important organ, that should promptly get a box of Dr. C. McManis' Celebrated Liver Pills, made by FLEMING BROS., Pittsburgh, Pa., and use according to directions they will cure you promptly and permanently. Around each box is a wrapper giving full description of the symptoms of a diseased Liver. They are to be had of druggists, or sent by mail for 25 cts. 3 boxes \$1.00. Address: FLEMING BROS., Pittsburgh, Pa.

PERFUMES THE BREATH. ASK FOR IT.

## Tax Decees.

The Tax Collector of Calhoun county, Ala., D. Z. Goodlett, filed in my office on March 15, 1890, a list of taxes and lots upon which the taxes and costs were unpaid for the year 1888, and back years. Notice is hereby given, unless the owner or agent comes forward and pays of the taxes and costs accrued on said lands and lots, or show cause why the Decree should not be rendered against said lands and lots for the sale thereof, a decree will be rendered on the 8th day of April 1890, being the 2nd Monday in said month, and a Regular Term of the Probate Court of said county, for the sale of said lands for the payment of the taxes assessed against them, and costs for the year 1888 and previous years for which they escaped taxation, as follows:

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 2.—Half mineral interest in the S 1/2 of SW 1/4, Sec. 7, T. 14, R. 8, E. 1/2 of NE 1/4, part of W 1/2 of NW 1/4, Sec. 18, T. 14, R. 8.

Taxes for 1888,	\$ 40
Costs	1.20
Advertising	2.00
Total	\$43.20

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 2.—SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 22, T. 15, R. 7, 40 acres. Taxes for 1888, \$1.25. Costs, 1.20. Advertising, 1.20. Total, \$3.65.

Mrs. F. Smith, Pre. No. 5.—NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 2, T. 15, R. 6—40 acres. Taxes for 5 years, \$6.00. Costs, 1.20. Advertising, 1.20. Total, \$8.40.

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 6.—W 1/2 of SE 1/4, Sec. 25, T. 14, R. 6—80 acres. Taxes for 5 years, \$6.40. Costs, 1.20. Advertising, 1.20. Total, \$8.80.

L. H. Bunney, Pre. No. 9.—Lot in Piedmont one-eighth of an acre, bounded south by C. I. Sharp, north by Jacksonville road, west by J. A. Woolf and east by L. J. Sharp. Taxes for 5 years, \$3.00. Costs, 1.20. Advertising, 1.20. Total, \$5.40.

P. P. Houston, Pre. No. 13.—Lot 3 Block 5, Division 1, in Oxnana, Ala., and Lot 8, Block 27, Division 1, Oxnana, Ala. Taxes for 1888, \$6.40. Costs, 1.20. Advertising, 1.20. Total, \$8.80.

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 15.—Lot No. 19, Block 2, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston of 1888. Taxes for 1888, \$24.50. Costs, 1.20. Advertising, 1.20. Total, \$26.90.

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 15.—Lot No. 22, Block 3, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston of 1888. Taxes for 1888, \$16.50. Costs, 1.20. Advertising, 1.20. Total, \$18.90.

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 15.—Lot No. 28, Block 2, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston Ala. of 1888. Taxes for 1888, \$24.50. Costs, 1.20. Advertising, 1.20. Total, \$26.90.

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 15.—Lot No. 10, Block 3, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston Ala. of 1888. Taxes for 1888, \$16.50. Costs, 1.20. Advertising, 1.20. Total, \$18.90.

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Nick, Nick, Nick.

M. Ed. Nesbit accidentally shot himself in the leg with a pistol Sunday last. The wound is not serious, but confines him to his room.

We have just received a nice new line of Velvets, Velveteens, Silks, Satins, Ribbons, Vellings, Collars, Cuffs, Gloves and Parasels.

R. H. MIDDLETON & CO.

Messrs. Wm. Huff, Jacob Carbiner and Edward Hackman, of Preman, Indiana, have been in Jacksonville this week prospecting.

"Nickel Ante" cigars at ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

Both J. A. Gaboury, General Manager, and Gen. J. W. Burke, President of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Company, have been in New York this week on business for the company.

Beautiful line tips, flowers, feathers and plumes, in all shades at R. H. Middleton & Co.

War with Germany, it's all a mistake. But Rowan, Dean & Co. are still having an elegant trade on the "Nickel Ante" cigar, sold at 5c. Try a sample.

Baptist Church.

There will be no preaching in this church to-morrow, (Sunday) in consequence of the fact that the pastor, Rev. Dr. Lane has been called to Atlanta by telegram to preach for the first Baptist church of that city. He requests us to announce that he will preach here on Sunday week, the 5th Sunday March 31st.

Just received, fresh from New York City, nice line spring hats for Ladies, Misses and Children.

R. H. MIDDLETON & CO.

We have reduced our price on Acid Phosphate and Guano. Call and see us before you buy.

PORTER, MARTIN & CO.

Another daily mail has been put on between Jacksonville and Anniston, which gives Jacksonville four daily mails, by the E. Tenn. Va. & Ga. R. R. The change is of consequence to the REPUBLICAN, as it enables it to reach subscribers along the line of the Ga. Pacific and the A. & C. roads one day sooner than heretofore.

Intense bargains in 250 pieces of Matting at 12, 15, 20 and 25 cents per yard, worth double the money, at ULLMAN BROS., Anniston, Alabama.

Hark! Listen! 'Tis whispered on the street corners at Jacksonville, Ala., that Rowan, Dean & Co., are having immense sales on the "Nickel Ante" cigar. 'Tis guaranteed clear Havana filled. Sold strictly for 5c. each.

Remember Ullman Bros. buy for four stores. One in Anniston, Talladega, Gadsden and Attalla, Alabama. We buy only in very large quantities from manufacturers direct, and for cash only, consequently saving from 20 to 25 per cent, and will give our customers the benefit of same. All are cordially invited to call and examine our large spring and summer stock. Polite and attentive clerks will take pleasure in waiting on you.

ULLMAN BROS., Anniston.

Mr. Jas. A. Gladden, of Alexandria Valley, previously notified in this paper as being sick, died at his home some days ago. Mr. Gladden was one of the early settlers of Calhoun county and was of a ripe age at the time of his death. Before the year he was wealthy and his home was the seat of hospitality. After the close of the war he found it difficult to adjust himself to the new order of things and the latter days of his life were not free from pecuniary care but his home on his fine valley farm was none the less open to the calls of hospitality or his hands the less generous in the bestowment of alms. His family have the sympathy of many friends here.

Ladies,

If you need a hat, don't buy until you see our stock of millinery goods.

Respectfully,

R. H. MIDDLETON & CO.

Ullman Bros., of Anniston, Ala., state to the people of Jacksonville and vicinity that their stock is the largest and most complete in North Alabama, and are able and will sell fine Dress Goods, Dry Goods, Mens, Boys and Children's fine Clothing, Hats and Shoes, and also Ladies' Hats and Millinery Goods, for less than ever offered in this State. Please call and examine our stock and convince yourself.

"Hacmetack," a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. For Sale by Hough & McManus.

The next "Mite Meeting" will be held at Mrs. Ida Woodward's, Monday, April 1st.

PROGRAMME.

Instrumental Duet, Misses Anderson and Woodward.

Recitation, Miss Bessie McGinnis.

Vocal Solo, Miss Minnie Weems.

Recitation, Miss Ida Woodward.

Instrumental Solo, Miss Lizzie Brennan.

Recitation, Miss Jennie Wylie.

Vocal Duet, Misses Wylie and Glasser.

Recitation, Miss Carrie Emerson.

Instrumental Solo, Miss Theresa Nesbit.

Reading, Dr. Crook.

Instrumental Solo, Miss Undine Lane.

Recitation, Master Roy Porter.

Song, Mrs. Grant.

NOTICE TO THE LADIES.

500 Pieces of Embroideries at Extra Low Prices.

Ullman Bros., of Anniston, Ala., will give a special sale at low prices in Hamburg, Swiss and Nainsook Embroideries and Flouncing; also white and colored Embroidered Robes. Newest patterns in Laces and White Goods, such as checked and cross barred muslins, mulls, pailsooks and cambrics.

THIS SALE WILL COMMENCE SATURDAY AND LAST ONE WEEK.

Remember this will be a special sale both in style and low prices. All are cordially invited.

That hacking cough can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. Sold by Hough & McManus.

We are requested by the Superintendent of Education to inform the teachers of the county that he will be in the office of Mr. John P. Weaver, clerk of court, on April 6th (first Saturday), and will settle with them for quarter ending March 31st. Each teacher is expected to sign the pay roll in person. If he finds it impossible to do so, he may instruct Mr. John Weaver in writing to sign for him.

We are determined to sell you, and in order to do so, we have marked our goods low down.

R. H. MIDDLETON & CO.

Hosiery and suspenders at R. H. Middleton & Co.

Pretty scarfs for girls just received at R. H. Middleton & Co.

Now for the Ladies.

Pretty fine Indian Linens, Check Muslin, Lawns, and all kinds white and colored Lavers at R. H. Middleton & Co.

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ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

The name indicates the price. So try a sample of the "Nickel Ante" cigar for 5c. at ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

**TAX NOTICE.**  
Assessor's Second Round.

I will be at the places the days mentioned below for the purpose of assessing the State, County and Poll Taxes for the year 1899, for Calhoun county, State of Alabama. All persons subject to taxation under the law are earnestly requested to make their appointments on this my second round, with a full list of property, with its full cash value, with correct numbers of lands and town lots in every case, as required by law.

According to law all persons are required to give in their own property, or by an authorized agent. Parties giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.

BEAT.

17 DeArmanville, Monday, March 12.

12 Choccolocco, Tuesday March 5.

12 Davisville, Wednesday March 6.

12 White Plains, Thursday March 7.

12 Rabbit Town, Friday March 8.

12 Morgan's Store, Saturday March 9.

16 Wilson's Store, Monday March 11.

16 Ladiga, Tuesday March 12.

9 Piedmont, Wednesday & Thursday March 13 and 14.

8 Allap Friday March 15.

8 Green's School House, Saturday March 16.

1 Jacksonville, Monday & Tuesday March 18 and 19.

3 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday March 20.

3 Weaver's Station, Thursday March 21.

15 Anniston, Friday and Saturday March 22 and 23.

13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.

4 Gaurway's, Wednesday March 27.

4 Bynum's, Thursday March 28.

14 Sulphur Springs, Mar. Friday 29.

5 Polkville, Saturday March 30.

2 Alexandria, Monday and Tuesday April 1 and 2.

18 Olathe Station, Wednesday April 3.

18 Griffin's Store, Thursday April 4.

6 Peak's Hill, Friday April 5.

7 Hollingsworth's, Saturday April 6.

Feb. 19, 99.

J. V. RHODES, Tax Assessor.

**For Sale.**

Several thousand stalks of sugar cane for seed, on my farm in Alexandria, Va., from the 15th of March until the 5th of April at \$2.00 per hundred or \$15.00 per thousand stalks. On suitable soil yields 400 to 500 gallons per acre and sells readily at nearly double the price of sorghum syrup. Terms cash.

L. D. MILLER.

March 11.

John Wesley on Demonic Possession. In England the same warfare went on. John Locke had asserted the truth, but the theological view continued to control public opinion. Most prominent among those who exercised great power against the truth was John Wesley, and the greatness and beauty of his character made his influence in this respect all the more unfortunate. The same servitude to the mere letter of scripture which led him to declare that "to give up witchcraft is to give up the Bible and to take ground against the fundamental truths of theology," controlled him in regard to insanity. He insisted on the authority of the Old Testament, that bodily diseases are sometimes caused by devils, and upon the authority of the New Testament, that the gods of the heathen were demons; he believed that demons, while in some cases caused by bodily conditions and passions, are shown by scripture to be also caused by occult powers of evil; he cites a physician to prove that "most lunatics are really demons."

In his great sermon on "Evil Angels," he dwells upon this point especially, and resists the idea that "possession" may be epilepsy, even though ordinary symptoms of epilepsy be present; protests against "giving up to infidels such proofs of an invisible world as are to be found in demonic possession," and evidently believes that some who have been made hysterical by his own preaching are "possessed of Satan." On all this, and much more to the same effect, he insisted with all the power given to him by his deep religious nature, his wonderful familiarity with the scriptures, his natural acumen, and his eloquence.

But here, too, science continued its work. The old belief was steadily undermined, an atmosphere favorable to the truth became more and more developed, and the act of parliament in 1783, which banished the crimes of witchcraft from the statute book, was the beginning of the end.—Andrew D. White in Popular Science Monthly.

**Moan Tables.**  
A maiden was accustomed to spin late on Saturday in the moonlight. At one time the new moon on the eve of Sunday drew her up to itself, and now she sits in the moon and spins and spins. And now, when the "gossamer days" set in late in the summer, the white threads float around in the air. These threads are the spinning of the lunar spinner.

The moon is especially a gloomy avenger of human arrogance, and has its humors, according to which things go well or ill with it. In its increase it has a special force and a certain good will for the earth and its inhabitants, while in its decrease it is friendly to no one. The good woman must not do any sewing in the decrease of the moon, for the stitches will not hold; farming tools must not be left in the field, because it is believed, if they are, crops will not again thrive there. If an unbaptized child is exposed to the moonlight, it will lose its whole life for its whole life.

If one points at the moon with the finger, he will suffer from swelling around the nail; and whoever spits at the moon will lose all his teeth. These beliefs, too, are international. The same is the case with the religious notions about the new moon. Somewhere every kind, to be successful, must be performed on Sunday night of the new moon. The hair must be cut only in the increase of the moon, otherwise there is danger of getting headache. If a person returning home in the evening sees the full moon, he ought to take some money out of his purse, and utter an incantation that will make it increase a hundred times during the month.

The moon is also supposed to have an influence over animals and plants.—Dr. F. S. Krauss in Popular Science Monthly.

**Editors and Writers.**  
Nothing could be more false than that editors and publishers like to decline things. On the contrary, they are ever eager to get good articles and books, no matter how obscure the writer may be; sometimes, indeed, the obscure he is the better. The amount of pains which editors and publishers take to lick into shape manuscripts which have a basis of merit, but which are so commonly written, is something which would be very surprising to aggrieved contributors who regard every editor and publisher as a contemptuous person with a prejudice against all unknown writers. Editors are willing to suggest, to correct, even to rewrite, but often the task is too much for them, and they decline matter which really has much that is good, because the writer is so very far from having learned his trade. There is no higher art than that of writing; and yet some people expect that they may write it without any apprenticeship whatever, just as some others expect to paint good pictures or sing songs like an artist, right off, out of hand, by sheer force of genius, or by "main strength," as Paddy thought he could play the fiddle. The result is the woful duty that editors find themselves under, and which they are not to be blamed if they sometimes shrink.—Boston Transcript.

**Railroad Accidents of a Year.**  
There were 1,956 accidents on the railroads in the United States during 1898. There were 894 collisions, 1,033 derailments and 99 other accidents. Of the collisions 44 were from the rear, 311 were buttings, 90 on crossings. Defects in road caused 189 derailments; defects of equipment caused 148, and neglect in loading caused 117. The killed numbered 697, of whom 434 were employees and 168 passengers.—Troy Times.

**An Aged Biblical Error.**  
The Universities Press edition of the English Bible contains a typographical error which has remained uncorrected for fifty years. It is in the seventeenth verse of the eleventh chapter of Zechariah, which reads, "Woe to the idol shepherd." The word "idol" should be "wile."—New York Star.

From Russia it is reported that a meteoric stone which recently dropped from the heavens contained a number of diamonds.

Ah, there, my size? Boys, your sweet hearts will not love you if you do not smoke "Nickel Ante" cigars, for 5c. at ROWAN, DEAN & CO.

**NOTICE.**  
If parties owing its accounts on our Stable books do not settle by cash or note by the 1st of January, 1899, the office will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection. We mean business.

MARTIN & WILKINSON.

Dec. 22nd, 1898.

## NEW ENGLAND'S GIRLS.

WHAT OF THE SURPLUSAGE OF WOMEN IN EASTERN STATES?

Some Interesting Statistics Given by a Lady Who Has Made a Study of the Subject. She Tells What Becomes of the Girls Who Do Not Marry.

It has often been asked what becomes of the surplus of the female over the male population of some of the states, especially of Massachusetts and Connecticut and perhaps of some of the other "down east" commonwealths. An estimable lady by the name of Miss Rebecca Jones, who herself belongs to that number, and who was a school teacher for nearly twenty years in a small New England town, and who is now visiting friends in Brooklyn, gave some interesting statistics bearing upon this point to the writer of this article. Said she: "I have kept a record of the girls who have graduated from the high school of my native village, where I have been a school teacher since 1871, what they have done and what has become of them."

She gave the figures for the classes of the years 1871 to 1876—from eighteen to eleven years ago—and strange figures for any marrying and giving in marriage community they are. Continuing, she said:

**THE MAJORITY ARE SPINSTERS.**  
The average age of the female graduates from a typical New England school is between 16 and 17 years. Hence it will appear that the women of whom this list has been made, ranging today between 30 and 40 years old, have done the greater part of their "settling in life" that they are likely to do. Out of a total of ninety-nine graduates there were twenty-seven marriages, eleven deaths and sixty-nine are still single. Strange as it may seem, the eleven deaths were caused by consumption. There have been two cases of insanity, both of the twenty-seven married group. The largest number of children of any is three. Three of the girls went to college after leaving the high school, all of whom are married.

Of the unmarried sixty-one, twenty-one follow a very usual feminine calling—that of schoolma'am! One is at Hampton, Va., teaching the Indians; the other twenty are in country schools in or near by their homes. Three set type; one reads proof; one is head dressmaker in a large establishment in New York city; four are dressmakers on their own hook; one is practicing medicine; three are music teachers; fifteen are stitchers and buttonhole makers in shoe shops, and the rest are home bodies.

"Just what has brought about such a preponderance of spinsterhood it is not altogether easy to say. Some people have contended that it did not exist, but statistics prove to the contrary. Such people have explained the great surplus of women in New England on the supposition that most of them are widows, made so by the hazardous occupation of the eastern coast of the United States. Widows there are in plenty, but the sixty-one of my records certainly never married."

**THE YOUNG MEN LEAVE HOME.**  
"Probably most of them never had an opportunity to marry. There are few marriageable young men at the present time to be found west of the small New England towns. The serene quiet of this most lethargic rural section of the country does not suit the active spirit of young men of the day. They go away before they are old enough to marry, and the chances are that they don't come back again."

"If they do return they are impressed with the lack of money in New England, outside of the cities, by the length of time since the houses have been painted, and the amount of calculation required before they can find a place where they can find a dollar. They do not stay long enough to admire the hardy thrift that can wring a comfortable support from the stony soil where a New Yorker would starve, and the girls they left behind them cannot compare, so they seem to think, for beauty of dress, with the girls of the South, and so on for weeks before the truth dawns that the 'girls' are well past the half century milestone of life. They never married and no one was ever cruel enough to mark out any line beyond which they ceased to be young. They are self respecting and unselfish and respectful."

"They are New England towns in great numbers, where the best educated and best bred Yankee girl, of the best colonial families, can go into the shoe shop and work there for years after she has ceased to be a girl, save for courtesy, and still retain the classics and more, and perhaps lead, the most aristocratic society of the town."—New York Mail and Express.

**Woe of the Alligator.**  
The alligator of the south, like the buffalo of the west, is likely soon to become extinct. The slaughter of the alligator for its hide, like the slaughter of the buffalo for its hide, has been so great that it will be only a few years before the lonely lagoon of Florida will have lost its last survivor.—Scientific American.

**A Big Settlement of Horses.**  
The largest horse farm in the world is said to be thirteen miles from Cheyenne, Wyo. It includes 120,000 acres, and requires 100 miles of wire fencing to keep the animals in bounds, with fifty-five men to look after them. The horses, young and old, number 6,000.—Virginia City Enterprise.

**Jas. S. Kelly**  
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This hotel has been recently refitted throughout. Clean rooms. Good fare. Charges moderate.

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Being fully represented, and marked at PRICES LOWER than any WOULD BE COMPETITOR. We guarantee to SAVE YOU MONEY on every purchase made.

Carrying by far the largest stock of DRESS GOODS, CLOTHING, SHOES, Etc., of any house in the city enables us to undersell all competition, and by selling EVERY LINE we can make shorter profits than any

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**Carpets, Mattings Etc.**

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**CARTER'S**  
LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

**CURE**  
SICK HEADACHE

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**Hog Raising in the South.**  
We have always contended that hogs can be raised more profitably, and with far less attention in the south, than any of the great hog producing states of the north-west. There is no reason why the farmers of Alabama, and all the southern states cannot raise all the hogs needed for home consumption, and save the immense drainage of their cash which now goes to Indiana, Missouri, Illinois and other states from whence these supplies are received.  
The Southern Farm, of Atlanta, is doing a great service to the farmer of the south, in directing attention to this and other questions affecting the profit in southern agriculture. We present below a communication, in the March number of that most excellent publication, from a correspondent, Mr. J. D. Waters, of Montezuma, Ga., giving his method of hog-raising. He says:  
"In the first place, in early fall, I sow rye for winter grazing for such as are left after the winter killing. Later, I sow wheat or some other grain, which is preferred to be turned on when ready (not to be harvested) with early sown rye. I can commence to graze them by Christmas or the 1st of January, and continue until May. They will now require good feed until the middle or last of May, when the grain is ready to receive them, and keep them in good growing order with but little feed, until speckled peas, planted on winter grazing lot ripen, which will be from the 1st to the 15th of August, when they are turned on pea feed. From speckled peas, I run them on ground peas (Spanish), which are now ripe and ready for them. Every pork raiser should plant enough ground peas to keep his porkers on till they are fat. Sweet potatoes are excellent for fattening, are easily raised, should be raised by every one raising pork, for final run before penning. They should then have corn for a week or ten days. By this time they are well fattened and ready for the butcher. By this management they can be carried through on very little feed, but I deem it poor economy to withhold liberal feed from intended porkers at any time. I now have four breeds of hogs, viz: Poland China, Berkshire, Chester White, and what is called Irish Gragile. The hogs, the weights of which was sent to the Southern Farm, were a cross of Poland China and Berkshire, the best hog I think I have found so far. Unless it be the Irish Gragile, which I have had only a short while; cannot say positively, but believe them to be a good hog. I am not able to say what it costs to raise bacon, but know the cost managed thus, to be small—much cheaper than to buy. I think any farmer can, by giving a little time and attention, raise bacon for plantation use cheaper than he can buy, even at the present low prices. The hams are well salted down with small quantity salt per pound to each piece for about four weeks, when they are taken up, well washed and scalded in hot water. They are then hung up and smoked for a few days (cherry wood preferred for smoking), when they are sacked in thick paper sacks and hung up for future use. Put up in this way not later than February, are never troubled with insects of any kind. I might further say, I seldom carry hogs over one year. Kill spring pigs in fall, summer and fall pigs in spring. My hogs are comparatively free from disease, not having cholera or other diseases until now, they are affected with what is supposed to be cholera. If farmers generally would give a little more attention to hog raising, we would have less complaint of cholera and more good sweet home raised bacon and lard for our families.  
**Fingers Came Off.**  
My little son, five years old, was afflicted with a skin disease for which the doctors had no name. The nails came off his fingers, and the fingers came off his hands up to the middle joint. For three years he has suffered dreadfully, and has taken quantities of medicine. He is now getting well under treatment of Swift's Specific.  
JOHN DEHL.  
Peru, Ind., Jan. 12, 1889.  
**Remarkable Case.**  
For two years I had rheumatism so bad that it disabled me for work, and confined me to my bed for a whole year, during which time I could not even raise my hands to my head, and for three months could not raise myself in bed; was reduced in flesh from 132 to 96 lbs.; was treated by best physicians only to grow worse. Finally I took Swift's Specific, and soon began to improve. After a while and at my work, and for the past months have been as well as I ever was—all from the effects of Swift's Specific.  
JOHN RAZ.  
Ft. Wayne, Ind., Jan. 8, 1889.  
Swift's Specific is entirely a vegetable medicine which has ever cured Blood Poison, Scrofula, Blood Humors and kindred diseases. Send for our books on Blood and Skin Diseases, mailed free.  
**THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO.**  
Drawer 3, Atlanta Ga.  
Mr. Frenke, the Australian who is to build a yacht to compete for the America's cup next year, probably depends upon a freak of luck, also.  
A Dubuque Iowa, man has just shipped 1,100 cats and dogs to Dakota, where the animals are wanted to exterminate grouse mice.  
A pretty girl, don't object to reflections on herself when they come from a looking glass.

**RULES OF DECORUM**  
Of the Baptist Church at White's Gap.  
**RULES OF DECORUM.**  
Article 1. The church conference shall commence by singing and prayer.  
2. The church shall have a pastor whose duty it shall be to preside over the body, and preserve good order who shall be chosen by ballot annually, or for so long a time as he and the church can agree, by a majority of the church, he shall also have the privilege of debate in conference upon condition that he call some other brother to fill the chair who shall be empowered with the same authority while sitting.  
3. The church shall have a clerk whose duty it shall be to keep a correct record of the proceedings of the church, and shall read the Decorum or cause the same to be done quarterly, or when called for by the church, and shall read the minutes at the opening and closing of each conference if required. The clerk shall sign his name with that of the moderator to each minute, and he shall be elected by a majority of the church annually said election to be by ballot.  
4. We believe it to be the duty of all male members to attend regular conference or show cause of excuse for their non-attendance at the next regular conference—for the first failure of such attendance he shall be subject to admonition, for the second reproof from the moderator, for the third, the same being in succession, to being cited to satisfy the church for his non-attendance.  
5. But one member shall address the moderator at the same time who shall respectfully rise from his seat, nor shall he be interrupted unless he depart from the subject or use unbecoming language, nor shall he speak more than twice on the same subject without leave from the church.  
6. Motions shall not receive the attention of the conference until they are seconded, when two motions are put touching the same point the last shall be first in order.  
7. No member shall absent himself from the church without leave from the moderator.  
8. In the decision of all questions except that of receiving members into fellowship with the church a majority of the church will be sufficient.  
9. In conference all intercourse carried on either in addressing the moderator or each other the appellation of brother shall be used.  
10. In all cases of a tie the moderator shall be entitled to the casting vote.  
11. The church may adjourn her conference to any time or place they may see proper, and call conference when expedient.  
12. We believe it the duty of all male members to vote on all questions coming before the church or give their reasons.  
13. The moderator shall enquire for absentees and delinquents noted by the clerk at each meeting.  
14. It shall be the duty of the moderator to see these rules carried into effect.  
15. This Decorum may be altered at any regular conference by a vote of two-thirds of the members present.  
**DUTY OF DEACONS.**  
1. It shall be the Deacons' duty to furnish the elements for the sacramental supper, prepare the table, take charge of the furniture, distribute the bread and wine after having received it from the hands of the administrator.  
2. This church shall have a fund which shall be raised by voluntary contribution for the purpose of supporting the Lord's table, and the poor of the church if necessary.  
3. We believe it to be the duty of the deacon or deacons to see the table of the pastor is furnished, we therefore recommend that the deacons prepare a subscription and present it to the church and the benevolent of the congregation for the purpose of raising an annual support for the pastor of this church.  
**ABSTRACT OF PRINCIPLES.**  
1st. We believe in one only true and living God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, and these three, in one.  
2nd. We believe that the scriptures of the old and new Testaments are the word of God, and therefore the only rule of faith and practice.  
3rd. We believe the doctrine of election, and that God chose his people in Christ before the foundation of the world.  
4th. We believe in the doctrine of original sin.  
5th. We believe in man's impotency to recover himself from the fallen state he is in by nature by his own ability.  
6th. We believe that sinners are justified in the sight of God only by the merits of Christ by imputation.  
7th. We believe the Saints shall persevere in grace and never fall finally away.  
8th. We believe Baptism and the Lord's Supper are ordinances of Jesus Christ, and that true believers are the subjects, and we believe that the true mode of Baptism is by immersion.  
9th. We believe in the resurrection of the dead and general judgment.  
10. We believe the punishment of the wicked will be everlasting, and the joys of the righteous eternal.  
11. We believe that no person has a right to the administration of the ordinance only such as are regular baptised, called and come under the imposition of hands by the presbytery.  
12. We believe that none but reg-

lar baptised members have a right to commune at the Lord's table.  
**BUSINESS ORDER OF THE CHURCH.**  
1st. The moderator shall invite visiting brethren and sisters to seats in conference to aid with their advice and counsel in all deliberations before the church, but those not members of the church shall in no case vote.  
2nd. Fellowship enquired for by the moderator.  
3rd. The door of the church opened for the reception of members.  
4th. Read the minutes of the last conference if necessary.  
5th. Take up references.  
6th. Miscellaneous business.  
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I will be at the places the days mentioned below for the purpose of assessing the State, County and Poll Taxes for the year 1889, for Calhoun county, State of Alabama. All persons subject to taxation under the law are earnestly requested to meet me promptly at my appointments on this my second round, with a full list of property, with its cash value, with correct numbers of lands and town lots in every case, as required by law.  
According to law all persons are required to give in their own property, or by an authorized agent. Parties giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.  
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17 DeArmanville, Monday, March 12  
12 Choccolocco, Tuesday March 5.  
11 Davisville, Wednesday March 6.  
11 White Plains, Thursday March 7.  
10 Rabbit Town, Friday March 8.  
10 Morgan's Store, Saturday March 9.  
10 Wilson's Store, Monday March 11.  
16 Ladiga, Tuesday March 12.  
9 Piedmont, Wednesday & Thursday March 13 and 14.  
8 Allsup Friday March 15.  
8 Green's School House, Saturday March 16.  
1 Jacksonville, Monday & Tuesday March 18 and 19.  
3 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday March 20.  
3 Weaver's Station, Thursday March 21.  
15 Anniston, Friday and Saturday March 22 and 23.  
13 Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.  
4 Ganaway's, Wednesday March 27.  
4 Bynum's, Thursday March 28.  
14 Sulphur Springs, Mar. Friday 29.  
5 Polkville, Saturday March 30.  
2 Alexandria, Monday and Tuesday April 1 and 2.  
18 Okatchie Station, Wednesday April 3.  
18 Griffin's Store, Thursday April 4.  
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Land Office at Montgomery, Ala., January 17 1889.  
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville Ala., on March 13, 1889, viz: Emily N. Jowers, widow of James B. Swink; Homestead 786, for the W 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 16, Tp. 11, R. 6.  
She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Jesse B. Gray, of Ory, Alabama; William H. Morris and Geo. Peck's Hill, Oakley Brown, of Okatchie, Ala.  
J. G. HARRIS, Register.  
Jan 19-11  
**NOTICE NO. 8431.**  
LAND OFFICE, AT MONTGOMERY, ALA., January 19th, 1889.  
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville, Ala., on March 13, 1889, viz: Peter S. Finletter, Homestead entry No 21472, for the SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Sec. 18, Tp. 11, R. 6.  
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## SUGGESTIONS TO BUYERS.

Every thinking business man, after taking inventory, draws from his past experience such figures and lessons as will help his future. Every such man engaged in the ordinary lines of merchandising, who has had the average experience, has discovered a constant tendency toward a shrinkage of either his percentage of profit or the volume of his business.

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One of the first of his conclusions has therefore been: "One thing is certain, I must either increase sales or reduce expenses." After carefully considering the latter expedient, he finds, (if a good manager) but little cause of responsibility in the whirl of events, and acts more constantly committed which, in the light of a calmer day, seem the acts of madmen.

It was the last year of the civil war—a year full of anxiety, suspense and privation of every kind. Down here in Louisiana we were beginning to realize that our cause was hopeless, and that the Confederacy was near its end. I suppose it was that knowledge which made people so reckless. Men had lost all sense of responsibility in the whirl of events, and acts more constantly committed which, in the light of a calmer day, seem the acts of madmen.

New Orleans, in possession of the Federals, had, of course, been a certain extent, but the country parishes were in a ferment, occupied as they were in turn by Confederate and northern troops. The ravages of irresponsible plundering hands had become a terrible and constant invitation of Judge Maxwell, who was a distant relative of mine, I took refuge with him at Bosabel, a plantation in the Red River country.

This district, it is true, was occupied by Federal troops, but they were well disciplined and committed no outrages. After the terrors and uncertainties of the "debatable ground," there was a comfortable feeling of security in finding ourselves within the lines and not in danger of capture. Several ladies, friends of Judge Maxwell, had collected at Bosabel, so our social life was far from dull.

Beautiful Adela Maxwell was our host's young daughter-in-law. She had only been married a week when her husband, who had enlisted in Gen. Taylor's army, was compelled to leave her.

She was a lovely, irresponsible child—a spoiled one, too. At 16 years of age she had married Theo Maxwell, who was not then 20. It was due to the recklessness so common at that period that the marriage of the young pair was sanctioned by the two families.

Theo was grave and thoughtful beyond his years; brave, as were all the Maxwells, almost stern in his ideas of duty, and only weak where his beautiful little bride was concerned.

Most southern women were brave and high spirited, ready to make any sacrifice for a cause they considered sacred, but Adela had not a grain of patriotism in her soul. She did not care a straw which cause conquered so that her husband might end and Theo return home. Her standing grievance was that he had joined the army as a private instead of marching forth in all the glory of a general's paraphernalia.

At times she would give way to a perfect passion of grief, and weeping for days. Then the mood would change and she would be in the wildest spirits, laughing, singing, dancing. She reminded me of a butterfly I once saw lighting on the rim of a cannon the moment before it was discharged.

One morning she burst in upon us in the breakfast room in an irritable and impatient mood.

"I can't stand this!" she cried. "I never closed my eyes all night thinking of Theo. I can't eat, I can't sleep, and I shall die if Theo doesn't come home! I must see with my own eyes that he is alive and well."

"But how can you expect him to come?" cried Dora Maxwell, the judge's daughter, a sensible, spirited girl, who had not too much patience with her sister-in-law's childish ways. "He is a soldier, a private, too, and they are not allowed a furlough every time their wives happen to cry for them. With all this skirmishing going on around us you surely don't think there's any chance of his getting off? I do wish, Adela, you would try to be reasonable—for Theo's sake, if for no other reason."

"Look at Mrs. Rogers," she continued. "Her husband is in constant peril, and see how brave and cheerful she is! She says that is the only way in which she can imitate him."

"Don't talk to me of Mrs. Rogers!" Adela looked like a small fury. "Do you pretend to compare my love for Theo with hers? Her husband? Easy enough to be quiet when she doesn't care a pin for her husband! Didn't she actually hurry him off last week, when he hadn't been with her for more than an hour? Don't compare us and set that cold hearted thing up as my model!"

"I don't compare you," Dora said dryly. "Mrs. Rogers is utterly unselfish, a noble woman, to whom the honor of her husband is as dear as his life. She hurried him off because she knew if he waited until daylight his risk of being made a prisoner would be great. Besides, he had promised his captain to be back that night and he was in honor bound to keep his word."

Adela burst into a flood of angry tears. "Honour! Honour!" she repeated, petulantly. "I just hate the word! Honour made me join the army and leave me here to be wretched! Honour keeps him away! Some day honour is going to leave him on the battle field with a bullet in his heart. What will it do for me, if I lose him? I'd like to know? Nobody here

feels for me. Nobody loves Theo as I do!" She hurried from the room, but stopped on the threshold and turned her pretty, tear stained face to us.

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"She is such a child!" I interposed.

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### LIFE'S WANDERER.

Pass on, O tired wanderer!  
Upon thy lonely way;  
Thou must not pause a moment,  
Till the closing of the day.  
Out there upon thy pathway,  
The land is white with snow,  
But ever, ever onward,  
Thy weary feet must go.  
Why dost thou stand here, wanderer,  
And weep with bitter tears?  
Why dost thou not go bravely on,  
Without a sigh or tear?  
Dost thou not know, O wanderer,  
That just beyond thy sight  
The soft, green grass is growing  
And the sun shines warm and bright?  
And when, at last, thou seest  
Gold and purple in the west,  
Thou mayst lie down, O wanderer,  
To a long, long, peaceful rest.  
And thou wilt know of grander things  
When thou wakest from thy sleep;  
Then, wanderer, thou wilt wonder  
Why it was that thou didst weep.  
Pass on, pass on, O wanderer,  
Thy tedious journeying  
Thou wilt rest in peace and happiness  
At the closing of the day.  
—Zola M. Doyle.

### THE DESERTER.

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On the two following days she was in a state of perpetual "crisis" almost hysterical. She would rush from door to window, or to any place which commanded a view of the long front avenue. At any unexpected sound she would spring up, listen breathlessly, and then sink back in her seat with a sigh.

"I am afraid my little girl is getting nervous," said Judge Maxwell on the second evening, putting his arm affectionately around her. "Come, it won't do when Theo returns for him to find a wife with her nerves unstrung. The women of our family were as brave as the men, and I can't have a Maxwell a coward."

"But I'm not an out and out Maxwell," she answered with a hysterical laugh; "and I'm an awful coward. Oh, why don't Theo come home?"

This was followed by a violent burst of tears, and she rung her hands as if in despair.

"Dora, you had better take your sister to her room and make her lie down," the judge said, gently. "Adela, my dear, you must try to control yourself. Remember that your tears will not bring your husband back one day sooner. You are only injuring your health and for Theo's sake you must take care of that."

After they left the room, the judge and I sat silent until the lamps were lighted. Suddenly he sprang to his feet, for we heard the hurried steps of a man on the long veranda in front of the house.

Then the door was violently thrown open and Theo stood before us. He was pale, wild eyed, and covered with dirt. He looked in our faces strangely, inquiringly and uttered a deep groan. His parched lips strove to speak, but the words died in a gasp.

"My son! what is the matter?" cried the judge, taking his hand.

"Adela, my darling! Is she dead?" the son managed to articulate. "Am I too late?"

"Adela? Why, she is in perfect health—never has been ill. She was in this room five minutes ago."

The judge stopped suddenly, terrified by his son's look. He had grown ghastly pale and sank into a chair.

He covered his face with his hands, shaking as if in an attack of ague. In a moment he controlled himself and tried to speak calmly. "Read that," he said, drawing a letter from his pocket, and handing it to his father, "and tell me if I could have stayed away?"

Months afterward I read the letter. In it Adela told her husband she was dying and he must come to her immediately if he would see her alive, but ill as she was, no one should write to him but her. If he loved her, come! The letter was written in faint, tremulous characters, as if the hand was too weak to hold the pen and the eyes too dim to see the lines.

Judge Maxwell's face was very stern when he laid down the letter.

"It was an unjustifiable deceit," he said; "but you must try to forgive her. You must not let it embitter your visit."

"Father, do you not understand?" cried the young soldier. "I asked for permission to visit a dying wife, but the general positively refused. They expect a battle at Pleasant Hill, and not a man was allowed to leave. I came without permission."

"A deserter! you, Theo Maxwell!" cried the judge, looking stunned.

"Yes, a deserter on the eve of battle," Theo cried, with a bitter laugh. "I've done for myself now, father." There was a hurried step in the corridor, and in a moment Adela was in her husband's arms, crying and laughing hysterically.

"I heard your voice, darling," she cried. "Why hadn't I been called? Didn't I tell you all he should come back to me?"

"Yes, I've got him!" he voice rising shrill and strained with excitement. But what is the matter, Theo? Why do you look at me like that? What is the matter with you all?"

"The matter, madam," cried Judge Maxwell, sternly, "is disgrace to my son and your husband. By your falsehoods you brought him from his post—made him a deserter. Do you know what that means? A disgraceful death! Yes, that is what you have brought upon the man you professed to love."

He got no further, for Adela's head fell back on her husband's shoulder in merciful unconsciousness. He strained her to his bosom and pressed a kiss upon her white lips.

"Don't take her to her room," he said. "Be gentle with her for my sake, sister. She is only a child and did not know what she was doing. I must get away from here before she revives." He tightened his belt and pulled his cap over his eyes.

The old judge laid a trembling hand on his son's arm.

"Theo, my son," he said, tremulously, "don't go back! There is a squadron of

northern soldiers camped just back here in Miller's field. You can be taken prisoner by them, you know, and you'll be safe from, from."

He stammered and choked.

"I understand you, father," Theo said, quietly. "You mean if I am taken prisoner I will escape a deserter's fate. I would accept a deserter's fate. No, sir, I will get back the soonest I can, and bear my fate as your son should. I had to run a cordon of Federal troops coming here, and I fear it will be hard work getting back through the lines."

"But Gen. Taylor is my friend," The old man's speech was growing inarticulate. "I will write to him, I will go to him. He must listen to me. No court martial could condemn you under such circumstances."

Theo smiled sadly.

"I hope for little leniency. I left on the eve of a battle, you must remember. Farewell, father! Be kind to my poor little wife."

She was clinging to him and sobbing convulsively. "If you love me you will go back to Adela. Do not tell her what may happen to me. I leave her to you all as a sacred charge," he added, solemnly, and before any one answered had gone.

"I will go myself," stammered the judge, trying to rise from his seat.

"I will explain to Gen. Taylor. My boy shall not be sacrificed. A convulsion passed over his face, his feet refused to support him and he sank back in his chair.

"We knew well what was the matter. A year before he had had an attack of paralysis, a slight one, and his old enemy had him once more in its relentless grip. For three days and nights we watched beside him until the end came."

A week afterward our cruel suspense as to Theo's fate was over. In trying to pass the Federal pickets he had been shot.

"Thank God!" sobbed Dora, "he was spared the ignominious fate of a deserter. I think he wanted to be killed."

Adela's grief at first was violent. She soon returned to her father's house. In a few months I saw her there as lovely, as irresponsible and as gay as if she had not caused the disgrace and death of the man who had loved her more than his duty.—Marie B. Williams.

Washington Society.

Perhaps you think I exaggerate. I don't mean to say every woman makes her husband call a day or every day. But the congressman's wife above quoted said to me: "I often make thirty or thirty-five calls in an afternoon. The greatest number I ever made was thirty-eight. I think I could make more if I had a better driver. I've heard of ladies making forty-five or fifty."

Mrs. Fuller, the chief justice's wife, says she has made thirty-one calls between luncheon and dinner, and that she knows of a senator's wife who has made forty-eight in two hours. Mrs. Fuller could not keep up with her obligations, she says, if she didn't have four lively daughters to help her. She has 300 or more calls every Monday.

The cabinet ladies have found it simply impossible to return calls, having often as many as 1,500 cards in a day, and last December they concluded to give up returns except their calls of courtesy on the wives of the supreme court justices and senators.—Washington Letter.

British Red Tape.

It is doubtful if anything in the "red tape" line can excel two instances recently brought to public notice in connection with the military service of England. So minute are the reports required that Sir Evelyn Wood, commander at Aldershot, recently had occasion to record the momentous fact, with all the paraphernalia of imposing official document seals and the like, the thrilling fact that a private soldier had fallen over a stone and skinned his nose. Another instance of puerile inefficiency is seen in the case of a soldier who, while in Egypt in 1884, had an overture of "rations amounting to seventy cents."

This has been the subject of a vast amount of official correspondence, involving reams of paper and rolls of red tape, and it has finally been settled by the discovery that the soldier held a certificate in full for the provisions in dispute.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Niagara Falls Measurements.

The following are the latest statistics concerning the cataract. The outline of the American falls is about 1,000 feet, and the height about 155 feet. The descent in the rapids above the American falls is about 40 feet to the half mile. The outline of the Horseshoe falls is about 2,000 feet, the height about 155 feet, and the descent in the rapid above about 55 feet to three-quarters of a mile. The volume of water passing over both falls is about 15,000,000 cubic feet per minute, or about one cubic mile per week, or 54 cubic miles per year.—Buffalo Courier.

Brought Them Out in Sections.

One of our county physicians, who lives at Tazewell, was called to see a very tall gentleman, who lives in the neighborhood of Brantley, and who was sick with the measles. On account of the exceeding height of the man the doctor advised him to paint a ring around his body with iodine and he would proceed to bring the measles out on him one end at a time, as it would be impossible to accomplish the whole job at once. Our informant states that the ring was drawn and the measles brought out in sections.—Buena Vista (Ga.) Patriot.

An Old Family.

Mr. Do Pink—My dear, I've found a husband for you.

Miss Do Pink—Does he belong to an old family?

Mr. Do Pink—Yes, indeed. All his brothers are over 50 and he's gray headed himself.—Philadelphia Record.

Mr. Winks (looking over the paper)—Cheap Drugs & Co. are selling all sorts of patent medicines at half price.

Mrs. Winks—Just our luck. There isn't anything the matter with any of us.—New York Weekly.

Are you made miserable by indigestion, constipation, dizziness, loss of appetite, yellow skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure.

### CHATTANOOGA SOUTHERN

NO LONGER A PROBABILITY, BUT A CERTAINTY.

The Company Quietly but Actively at Work, Asking No Favors Except the "Right of Way"—Something of the Section Through which it will Pass.

No railroad has ever been built in this section on which the work has been done as quietly and with as little asked on the part of the company as in the case of the Chattanooga Southern.

They have gone on quietly until they have their road in condition to be built at once, and then they make the modest request for a right-of-way, asking no subscription whatever.

The trouble is to the right of way at Blowing Springs delayed the company, but this has been settled, and everything is now ready for business. Ten miles of the road is graded, and work will be pushed rapidly forward.

It is pre-eminently the mineral road of this section. It opens up to Chattanooga almost inexhaustible beds of the richest iron ores, while lead, copper and silver are found along its line. Chattanooga will receive more benefit from this line of road than from almost any line that could possibly be built. Being the terminus of the road and in a position to handle the vast mineral and timber wealth of the region through which it passes, it will be a most valuable acquisition and the wealth that it will bring cannot be estimated.

The money is ready to build the road and it will be pushed through as fast as money can accomplish it.—Chattanooga Times.

Emin Pasha.

There was a small telegram in yesterday's Age-Herald about a big man. A dispatch from Cairo intimated that Emin Pasha had administered a sound drubbing to the fanatical derivate and was in excellent health after the job.

The tangled reports that come from the Sudan leave us in doubt as to whether Stanley found and relieved Emin Pasha or Emin Pasha found and relieved Stanley. At any rate, when together they make, in the slang of the day, a good pair to draw to. Everybody knows Stanley's history, in fact, a good deal more of it than himself, but information as to the German savant is not so generally diffused.

An Austrian by birth and of the highest scientific attainments, this remarkable man attracted the attention of Chinese Gordon, then Governor of the Sudan, and the future martyr assigned him the task of breaking up the slave traffic in the Lower Sudan.

Gordon is dust, the Egyptian Government has undergone several transformations, but Emin, the first Bey, and new full-blown Pasha continues his task with a pertinacity and a placidity that argues a remarkably well strung nervous system.

Surrounded on all sides by cruel and fanatical foes, with treachery stalking in his camp and its shadow ever falling upon the walls of his tent, this hero has not only checked and chastised his enemies and maintained an iron grasp upon his followers, manufactured implements of warfare and ammunition for his rides, but has continued a patient and assiduous study of the fauna and flora of the weird region that is at once his kingdom and his prison. In the silent watches of the night, when all his dusky followers, save the outposts, are locked in slumber, he bends over the microscope and reads the life of some tiny insect with as much interest as though in his studio at Vienna, and unconcerned by the thought that some far reaching rifle may flash out of the darkness and still that busy brain forever.

If providence permits him to complete his work, humanity will owe Emin Pasha a lasting debt for the abolition of hideous cruelty, and science will receive from his hands invaluable contributions to her stores.

Those who have followed his career are heartily glad to know that he is alive and well.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

An Evident Hog.

The average Black Belt negro is a remarkable animal any way, and causes no end of trouble in politics. His complaint is and has been that he can't get his vote counted, and on this complaint of his, presidential elections have been fought and lost and won. Yet, in truth, his vote is counted oftener than that of any other known description of the animal who votes.

He gets it counted at the polls in August for the Democratic ticket. It is next counted in the Democratic State Convention, and on the third and last call he gets it counted again in the Republican State Convention. The Black Belt negro is an evident hog.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Her Life Saved by Her Garter.

LITTLE ROCK, March 25.—Ida Lynch started to drown herself by jumping from the lower bridge across the Arkansas river, but the watchman caught her as she jumped, his hand catching in her garter, which was strong, and thus saved her life.

### A ROSEATE EPISODE.

We find, in the Clay County (Ala.) Advance the following:

"The dreamy clank of the creaking press and the hasty click of the jingling type in the influential monotony of an editor's report are frequently relieved by an agreeable diversity. Especially do these grave duties from our care, when we are aroused by the mustered voice of beauty, and our fingers meet the perfected charms of fairness. The presence of ladies is ennobling and dignifying, and we make our profound bow of the week in acknowledgement of a recent call from Miss Clara Smith and Annie Gilbert, gracefully thanking our visitors for the courtesies extended."

Ah! brother, deep and cunning, truly art thou! We perceive in these reverberating periods, not only the gallant acknowledgement of an ecstasy already experienced, but the ardent expectation of happiness still to come. Not for you the dreamy clank of the creaking press, the hasty click of the jingling type, the influential monotony of running the whole shop—not much! In the pauses of your change from editorial thunder to a one-elbow power on the Washington press, and whilst you pass from setting up a leader to justifying a joke, your jocund fancy gallops o'er many a flowery mead of imagination. You picture other calls from lovely women. You hear the musical voice of other beauty, and conjure up the perfected charms of other fairness. "Courtesies extended," forsooth! You have told us what these courtesies consisted of—you don't intend to. And who shall blame you? But you harbor visions of other "courtesies extended" all the same. You dream of syllabub and sandwiches and fresh-laid eggs and, preadventure, cake—not the common church-fair article, but fine, strong, searching, nightmare cake; that will remain with you for many days and keep your memory fresh. You think of such things, brother, as you weave these beautiful meshes of eloquence wherewith to besoon further visitors from the fairy land of grace and loveliness. You are wise in your generation and your fame is not Dennis—not by any means.—Montgomery Dispatch.

THE NEW COLLECTOR.

J. H. Marion, of Glen Addie, the Successful Man.

Candidates can now go home and sleep sweetly for the next two years, for J. H. Marion, of Glen Addie, was last night elected Tax Collector vice J. F. James, resigned. Mr. Marion did not announce for the office until yesterday morning, and it may be considered a case of "the office seeking the man. He was born in Jackson County and for a number of years has been connected with the Georgia Pacific Depot at this place as one of the clerks, and has made a most faithful and acceptable officer. He is chuck full of energy, and is well qualified to fill the position in every respect. He will discharge his duties to the entire satisfaction of the public. His genial, winning ways will enable him to collect the taxes out of "slow pay" parties without offending them in their long-established habit to "stave off the government" as long as possible, but once aroused him and he is not the man to let justice sleep too long.

In selecting Mr. Marion for the position the council has done an eminently wise thing. We predict that he will make a model officer and will not "let the grass grow under his feet" in keeping the city's exchequer well filled to meet current expenses.

We are heartily in accord with the council in selecting Mr. Marion, and shall stand up to him as long as he does his duty faithfully and conscientiously—and any other officer who does the same thing.—Anniston News.

STILL THEY COME.

The Rogers Locomotive Works Likely to Be Removed to Birmingham.

It is likely that the great plant of the Rogers Locomotive Works, now located in New Jersey, will soon be removed to Birmingham.

A well known broker said yesterday that he knew that twenty acres of ground at Gate City had been offered the company if they would establish their works there. Representatives have been here and looked over the ground and expressed themselves highly pleased with the surroundings. In fact, they said they were in favor of removing the works to Birmingham, and information received from them since their return home indicates that this will be done and at no very distant day.

This means another big enterprise for Birmingham, and others will follow.—Birmingham Herald.

Election of Directors for the Dummy Line.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Anniston, Oxford & Choccolocco Dummy Line was held at Oxford yesterday, and nine-tenths of the subscribed stock was represented. The following officers and directors were elected: E. Locke, President; R. J. Riddle, Vice-President; T. M. Draper, Secretary; C. D. Woodruff, Treasurer. Directors: R. S. Riddle, W. G. Ledbetter, Anniston; T. C. Hill, J. C. Cooper, Oxford; L. T. Allen, J. T. D'Arman, of D'Armanville; S. N. Milligan; J. F. M. Davis of Choccolocco; C. S. Whiteside; W. C. Scarborough, White Plains.—Anniston Hot Plant.

## CLOTHING HOUSE

In the long run there are only two things that will grow a business. One of them is NEVER ADVERTISING A FALSEHOOD, and the other is REPRESENT GOODS AS THEY ARE. We are the Only One Price Clothing House in Anniston. We allow none of our employees to misrepresent goods to make a sale. The penalty for so doing is dismissal at once. All of our goods are marked in plain figures. Houses that have two or three prices have no price to mark down from. We will forfeit one hundred dollars to any one who can beat us down one dime.

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### Hog Raising in the South.

We have always contended that hogs can be raised more profitably, and with far less attention in the south, than any of the great hog producing states of the northwest. There is no reason why the farmers of Alabama, and all the southern states cannot raise all the hogs needed for home consumption, and save the immense drainages of their cash which now goes to Indiana, Missouri, Illinois and other states from whence these supplies are received.

The Southern Farm, of Atlanta, is doing a great service to the farmer of the south, in directing attention to this and other questions affecting the profit in southern agriculture. We present below a communication, in the March number of that most excellent publication, from a correspondent, Mr. J. D. Waters, of Montezuma, Ga., giving his method of hog-raising. He says:

"In the first place, in early fall, I sow rye for winter grazing for such as are left after the winter killing. Later, I sow wheat or some other grain, which is preferred to be turned on when ready (not to be harvested) with early sown rye. I can commence to graze them by Christmas or the 1st of January, and continue until May. They will now require good feed until the middle or last of May, when the grain is ready to receive them, and keep them in good growing order with but little feed, until speckled peas, planted on winter grazing lot ripen, which will be from the 1st to the 10th of August, when they are turned on pea field. From speckled peas, I run them on ground peas (Spanish), which are now ripe and ready for them. Every pork raiser should plant enough ground peas to keep his porkers on till they are fat. Sweet potatoes are excellent for fattening, are easily raised, should be raised by every one raising pork, for final run before penning. They should then have corn for a week or ten days. By this time they are well fattened and ready for the butcher. By this management they can be carried through on very little feed, but I deem it poor economy to withhold liberal feed from intended porkers at any time. I now have four breeds of hogs, viz: Poland China, Berkshire, Chester White, and what is called Irish Grackle. The hogs, the weights of which was sent to the Southern Farm, were a cross of Poland China and Berkshire, the best hog I think I have found so far. Unless it be the Irish Grackle, which I have had only a short while; cannot say positively, but believe them to be a good hog. I am not able to say what it costs to raise bacon, but know the cost managed thus, to be small—much cheaper than to buy. I think any farmer can, by giving a little time and attention, raise bacon for plantation use cheaper than he can buy, even at the present low prices. The hams are well salted down with small quantity salt water to each piece for about four weeks, when they are taken up, well washed and scalded in hot water. They are then hung up and smoked for a few days ( Hickory wood preferred for smoking), when they are soaked in thick paper sacks and hung up for future use. Put up in this way not later than February, are never troubled with insects of any kind. I might further say, I seldom carry hogs over one year. Kill spring pigs in fall, summer and fall pigs in spring. My hogs are comparatively free from disease, not having cholera or other disease until now; they are affected with what is supposed to be cholera. If farmers generally would give a little more attention to hog raising, we would have less complaint of cholera and more good sweet home raised bacon and lard for our families.

### Fingers Came Off.

My little son, five years old, was afflicted with a skin disease for which the doctors had no name. The nails came off his fingers, and the fingers came off his hands up to the middle joint. For three years he has suffered dreadfully, and has taken quantities of medicine. He is now getting well under treatment of Swift's Specific.

JOHN DEHL.

Peru, Ind., Jan. 12, 1889.

### Remarkable Case.

For two years I had rheumatism so bad that it disabled me for work, and confined me to my bed for a whole year, during which time I could not even raise my hands to my head, and for three months could not raise myself in bed; was reduced in flesh from 192 to 96 lbs.; was treated by best physicians only to grow worse. Finally I took Swift's Specific, and soon began to improve. After a while was at my work, and for the past months have been as well as I ever was—all from the effects of Swift's Specific.

JOHN RAZ.

Ft. Wayne, Ind., Jan. 8, 1889.

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Mr. Frenke, the Australian who is to build a yacht to compete for the America's cup next year, probably depends upon a freak of luck, also.

A Dubuque Iowa, man has just shipped 1,100 cats and dogs to Dakota, where the animals are wanted to exterminate ground mice.

A pretty girl don't object to reflections on herself when they come from a looking glass.

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### RULES OF DECORUM

Of the Baptist Church at White's Gap.

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Article 1. The church conference shall commence by singing and prayer.

2. The church shall have a pastor whose duty it shall be to preside over the body, and preserve good order who shall be chosen by ballot annually, or for so long a time as he and the church can agree, by a majority of the church, he shall also have the privilege of debate in conference upon condition that he call some other brother to fill the chair who shall be empowered with the same authority while sitting.

3. The church shall have a clerk whose duty it shall be to keep a correct record of the proceedings of the church, and shall read the Decorum or cause the same to be done quarterly, or when called for by the church, and shall read the minutes at the opening and closing of each conference if required. The clerk shall sign his name with that of the moderator to each minute, and he shall be elected by a majority of the church annually said election to be by ballot.

4. We believe it to be the duty of all male members to attend regular conference or show cause of excuse for their non-attendance at the next regular conference—for the first failure of such attendance he shall be subject to admonition, for the second reproof from the moderator, for the third, the same being in succession, to be cited to satisfy the church for his non-attendance.

5. But one member shall address the moderator at the same time who shall respectfully rise from his seat, nor shall he be interrupted unless he depart from the subject or use unbecoming language, nor shall he speak more than twice on the same subject without leave from the church.

6. Motions shall not receive the attention of the conference until they are seconded, when two motions are put touching the same point the last shall be first in order.

7. No member shall absent himself from the church without leave from the moderator.

8. In the decision of all questions except that of receiving members into fellowship with the church a majority of the church will be sufficient.

9. In conference all intercourse carried on either in addressing the moderator or each other the appellation of brother shall be used.

10. In all cases of a tie the moderator shall be entitled to the casting vote.

11. The church may adjourn her conference to any time or place they may see proper, and call conference when expedient.

12. We believe it the duty of all male members to vote on all questions coming before the church or give their reasons.

13. The moderator shall enquire for absentees and delinquents noted by the clerk at each meeting.

14. It shall be the duty of the moderator to see these rules carried into effect.

15. This Decorum may be altered at any regular conference by a vote of two-thirds of the members present.

### DUTY OF DEACONS.

1. It shall be the Deacons' duty to furnish the elements for the sacramental supper, prepare the table, take charge of the furniture, distribute the bread and wine after having received it from the hands of the administrator.

2. This church shall have a fund which shall be raised by voluntary contribution for the purpose of supporting the Lord's table, and the poor of the church if necessary.

3. We believe it to be the duty of the deacon or deacons to see the table of the pastor is furnished, we therefore recommend that the deacons prepare a subscription and present it to the church and the benevolence of the congregation for the purpose of raising an annual support for the pastor of this church.

### ABSTRACT OF PRINCIPLES.

1st. We believe in one only true and living God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, and these three, in one.

2nd. We believe that the scriptures of the old and new Testaments are the word of God, and therefore the only rule of faith and practice.

3rd. We believe the doctrine of election, and that God chose his people in Christ before the foundation of the world.

4th. We believe in the doctrine of original sin.

5th. We believe in man's impotency to recover himself from his fallen state he is in by nature by his own ability.

6th. We believe that sinners are justified in the sight of God only by the merits of Christ by imputation.

7th. We believe the Saints shall persevere in grace and never fall finally away.

8th. We believe Baptism and the Lords Supper are ordinances of Jesus Christ, and that true believers are the subjects, and we believe that the true mode of Baptism is by immersion.

9th. We believe in the resurrection of the dead and general judgment.

10. We believe the punishment of the wicked will be everlasting, and the joys of the righteous eternal.

11. We believe that no person has a right to the administration of the ordinance only such as are regular baptised, called and come under the imposition of hands by the presbytery.

12. We believe that none but reg-

lar baptised members have a right to participate at the Lord's table.

### BUSINESS ORDER OF THE CHURCH.

1st. The moderator shall invite visiting brethren and sisters to seats in conference to aid with their advice and counsel in all deliberations before the church, but those not members of the church shall in no case vote.

2nd. Fellowship enquired for by the moderator.

3rd. The door of the church opened for the reception of members.

4th. Read the minutes of the last conference if necessary.

5th. Take up references.

6th. Miscellaneous business.

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### TAX NOTICE.

Assessor's Second Round.

I will be at the places the days mentioned below for the purpose of assessing the State, County and Poll Taxes for the year 1889, for Calhoun county, State of Alabama. All persons subject to taxation under the law are earnestly requested to meet me promptly at my appointments on this my second round, with a full list of property, with its full cash value, with correct numbers of lands and town lots in every case, as required by law.

According to law all persons are required to give in their own property, or by an authorized agent. Parties giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.

BEAT.

1. DeArmanville, Monday, March 17.

2. Choctolocco, Tuesday March 18.

3. Davisville, Wednesday March 19.

4. White Plains, Thursday March 20.

5. Rabbit Town, Friday March 21.

6. Morgan's Store, Saturday March 22.

7. Wilson's Store, Monday March 23.

8. Ladiga, Tuesday March 24.

9. Piedmont, Wednesday & Thursday March 25 and 26.

10. Allsup Friday March 27.

11. Green's School House, Saturday March 28.

12. Jacksonville, Monday & Tuesday March 29 and 30.

13. Four Mile Springs, Wednesday March 31.

14. Weaver's Station, Thursday March 31.

15. Anniston, Friday and Saturday March 22 and 23.

16. Oxford, Monday and Tuesday, March 25 and 26.

17. Gandyway's, Wednesday March 27.

18. Bynum's, Thursday March 28.

19. Sulphur Springs, Mar. Friday 29.

20. Polkville, Saturday March 30.

21. Alexandria, Monday and Tuesday April 1 and 2.

22. Onalchie Station, Wednesday April 3.

23. Griffin's Store, Thursday April 4.

24. Peck's Hill, Friday April 5.

25. Hollingsworth's, Saturday April 6.

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## SUGGESTIONS TO BUYERS.

Every thinking business man, after taking inventory, draws from his past experience such figures and lessons as will help his future. Every such man engaged in the ordinary lines of merchandising, who has had the average experience, has discovered a constant tendency toward a shrinkage of either his percentage of profit or the volume of his business.

## THE ONLY ONE PRICE

One of the first of his conclusions has therefore been: "one thing is certain, I must either increase sales or reduce expenses." After carefully considering the latter expedient, he finds, (if a good manager) but little room for improvement. Inferior accommodations or help he usually decides will prove poor economy. He is therefore shut up to the "increase sales" idea. But that's the "rub." How is it to be accomplished? If honest, he will not stoop to the "fake" of a mock "closing out" sale that doesn't close out. Neither will he adopt the other method of reduction of prices that are not bona fide, but only pretended.

## CLOTHING HOUSE

In the long run there are only two things that will grow a business. One of them is NEVER ADVERTISE A FALSEHOOD, and the other is REPRESENT GOODS AS THEY ARE. We are the Only One Price Clothing House in Anniston. We allow none of our employees to misrepresent goods to make a sale. The penalty for so doing is dismissal at once. All of our goods are marked in plain figures. Houses that have two or three prices have no price to mark down from. We will forfeit one hundred dollars to any one who can beat us down one dime.

## IN ANNISTON.

## THE "FAMOUS"

NOBLE AND TENTH STREET, ANNISTON, ALA.

## Healthiest Place in the State.

(as shown by report of State Health Officer)

## "THE IRON QUEEN HOTEL."

At Jacksonville, Alabama,

On the E. T. Va. & Ga. Railroad.

Has been completed and will be formally opened to the public July 15th. This hotel has been built by a company at large expense, specially to accommodate the large influx of summer visitors to Jacksonville every year. It has all modern conveniences, such as hot and cold baths, gas light and electric call bells in every room and is elegantly upholstered from top to bottom. The hotel will be kept to a high standard of excellence and comfort of guests will be carefully looked after. Rates of board from \$22.50 to \$35.00 per month. Special rates made to families. For further information address

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JACKSONVILLE, ALABAMA.

## T. R. WARD,

DEALER IN

## DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS, SHOES, NOTIONS & C.

JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

In addition to my stock kept at the old stand beyond the Depot, I have recently placed a nice and select stock of DRY GOODS and GROCERIES at the Woodward corner on the public square, where my customers can be well served.

## New Goods---Select Stock.

Call and examine my stock at either store before purchasing elsewhere.  
may 26/11 T. R. WARD.

## JUST RECEIVED

—A LARGE LINE OF—

## FALL AND WINTER GOODS

## A. L. Stewart & Bro.,

EAST SIDE PUBLIC SQUARE, JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

## ATTRACTIONS IN EVERY LINE.

These goods are fresh from the Eastern markets and will be sold at prices that will be sure to please customers.

## Give our Stock an Inspection.

## COTTON BOUGHT & SOLD.

### LIFE'S WANDERER.

Pass on, O tired wanderer!  
Upon thy lonely way!  
Thou must not pause a moment,  
Till the closing of the day.  
Out there upon thy pathway,  
The land is white with snow,  
But ever, ever onward,  
Thy weary feet must go.  
Why dost thou stand here, wanderer,  
And weep with bitter tears?  
Why dost thou not go bravely on,  
Without a sigh or tear?  
Dost thou not know, O wanderer,  
That just beyond thy sight  
The soft green grass is growing,  
And the sun shines warm and bright?  
And when, at last, thou seest  
Gold and purple in the west,  
Thou mayest lie down, O wanderer,  
To a long, long, peaceful rest.  
And thou wilt know of grander things  
When thou wakest from thy sleep;  
Then, wanderer, thou wilt wonder  
Why it was that thou didst weep.  
Pass on, pass on, O wanderer,  
Upon thy lonely way!  
Thou wilt rest in peace and happiness  
At the closing of the day.  
—Zola M. Doyle.

### THE DESERTER.

It was the last year of the civil war—a year full of anxiety, suspense and privation of every kind. Dora here in Louisiana was weary beginning to realize that our cause was hopeless, and that the Confederacy was near its end. I suppose it was that knowledge which made people so reckless. Men had lost all sense of responsibility in the whirl of events and acts were constantly committed which, in the light of a calmer day, seem the acts of madmen.

New Orleans, in possession of the Federals, had yielded down to a certain extent, but the country parishes were in a ferment, occupied as they were in turn by Confederate and northern troops. The ravages of irresponsible, plundering bands had become so terrible in some of the western parishes that, at the urgent invitation of Judge Maxwell, who was a distant relative of mine, I took refuge with him at Rosabel, a plantation in the Red River country.

This district, it is true, was occupied by Federal troops, but they were well disciplined and committed no outrages. After the terrors and uncertainties of the "debatable ground," there was a comfortable feeling of security in finding ourselves within the lines and not in danger of capture. Several ladies, friends of Judge Maxwell, had collected at Rosabel, so our social life was far from dull.

Beautiful Adela Maxwell was our host's young daughter-in-law. She had only been married a week when her husband, who had enlisted in Taylor's army, was compelled to leave her.

She was a lovely, irresponsible child—a spoiled one, too. At 16 years of age she had married Theo Maxwell, who was not then 20. It was due to the recklessness so common at that period that the marriage of the young pair was sanctioned by the two families.

Theo was grave and thoughtful beyond his years; brave, as were all the Maxwells, almost stern in his ideas of duty, and only weak where his beautiful little bride was concerned.

Most southern women were brave and high spirited, ready to make any sacrifice for a cause they considered sacred, but Adela had not a grain of patriotism in her soul. She did not care a straw which cause conquered so that the war might end and Theo return home. Her standing grievance was that he had joined the army as a private instead of marching forth in all the glory of a general's paraphernalia.

At times she would give way to a perfect passion of grief, and eat nothing for days. Then the mood would change and she would be in the wildest spirits, laughing, singing, dancing. She reminded me of a butterfly. I once saw lightning on the rim of a cannon the moment before it was discharged.

One morning she burst in upon us in the breakfast room in an irritable and impatient mood.

"I can't stand this!" she cried. "I never closed my eyes all night thinking of Theo. I can't eat, I can't sleep, and I shall die if Theo doesn't come home! I must see with my own eyes that he is alive and well."

"But how can you expect him to come?" cried Dora Maxwell, the judge's daughter, a sensible, spirited girl, who had not too much patience with her sister-in-law's childish ways. "He is a soldier, a private, too, and they are not allowed a furlough every time their wives happen to cry for them. With all this skirmishing going on around us you surely don't think there's any chance of his getting off? I do wish, Adela, you would try to be reasonable—for Theo's sake, if for no other reason."

"Look at Mrs. Rogers," she continued. "Her husband is in constant peril, and see how brave and cheerful she is! She says that is the only way in which she can imitate him."

"Don't talk to me of Mrs. Rogers!" Adela looked like a snail. "Do you pretend to compare my love for Theo with hers for her husband? Easy enough to be quiet when she doesn't care a picnic for him! Didn't she actually bury him off last week when he hadn't been with her for more than an hour? Don't compare us and set that cold hearted thing up as my model!"

"I don't compare you," Dora said dryly. "Mrs. Rogers is utterly selfish, a noble woman, to whom the honor of her husband is as dear as his life. She hurried him off because she knew if he waited until daylight his risk of being made a prisoner would be great. Besides, he had promised his captain to be back that night and he was in honor bound to keep his word."

Adela burst into a flood of angry tears. "Honor! honor!" she repeated, petulantly. "I just hate the word! Honor made T. go join the army and leave me here to be wretched! Honor keeps him away! Some day honor is going to leave him on the battle field with a bullet in his heart. What will it do for me, if I see him I'd like to know? Nobody here

feels for me. Nobody loves Theo as I do!"

She hurried from the room, but stopped on the threshold and turned her pretty, tear stained face to us.

"Theo shall come back to me in spite of you all!" she cried.

Dora sighed deeply as the door closed behind Adela. "Poor Theo!" she said softly. "He always seemed to feel such a contempt for women! Yet that girl can make him do anything!"

"She is such a child!" I interposed. "Yes, and that makes her so unfit to be a wife. We are going to have an opportunity of sending letters through the lines today, and Heaven only knows what Adela will write to her husband! Enough to make him wretched, I dare say, for she won't spare him a single tear of hers. He'll fancy her pining to death, and before night, I dare say, she'll be laughing and singing."

But for once Dora was mistaken. Adela complained of a violent headache, and after writing her letter went to bed, and did not appear until late in the afternoon. Then she wore a subdued, rather frightened look, not natural to her. She appeared like a mischievous child who had done something naughty and was afraid of being found out.

For the two following days she was in a state of perpetual excitement almost hysterical. She would rush from door to window, or to any place which commanded a view of the long front avenue. At an unexpected sound she would spring up, listen breathlessly, and then sink back in her seat with a sigh.

"I am afraid my little girl is getting nervous," said Judge Maxwell on the second evening, putting his arm affectionately around her. "Come, it won't do when Theo returns for him to find a wife with her nerves unstrung. The women of our family were as brave as the men, and I can't have a Maxwell a coward."

"But I'm not an out and out Maxwell," she answered with a hysterical laugh; "and I'm an awful coward. Oh, why don't Theo come home!"

This was followed by a violent burst of tears, and she rung her hands as if in despair.

"Dora, you had better take your sister to her room and make her lie down," the judge said, gently. "Adela, my dear, you must try to control yourself. Remember that your tears will not bring your husband back one day sooner. You are only injuring your health and for Theo's sake you must take care of that."

After they left the room, the judge and I sat silent until the lamps were lighted. Suddenly he sprang to his feet, for we heard the hurried steps of a man on the long veranda in front of the house.

Then the door was violently thrown open and Theo stood before us. Theo, pale, wild eyed, and covered with dust. He looked in our faces strangely, inquiringly, and uttered a deep groan. His parched lips strove to speak, but the words died in a gasp.

"My son! what is the matter?" cried the judge, taking his hand.

"Adela, my darling! Is she dead?" the son managed to articulate. "Am I too late?"

"Adela? Why, she is in perfect health—never has been ill. She was in this room five minutes ago."

He covered his face with his hands, shaking as if in an attack of ague. In a moment he controlled himself and tried to speak calmly. "Read that," he said, drawing a letter from his pocket, and handing it to his father, "and tell me if I could have stayed away?"

Months afterward I read the letter. In it Adela told her husband she was dying and he must come to her immediately if he would see her alive, but ill as she was, no one should write to him but herself. If he loved her, come! The letter was written in faint, tremulous characters, as if the hand was too weak to hold the pen and the eyes too dim to see the paper.

Judge Maxwell's face was very stern when he laid down the letter.

"It was an unjustifiable deceit," he said, "but you must try to forgive her. You must not let it embitter your visit."

"Father, do you not understand?" cried the young soldier. "I asked for permission to visit a dying wife, but the general positively refused. They expect a battle at Pleasant Hill, and not a man was allowed to leave. I came without permission."

"A deserter! you, Theo Maxwell!" cried the judge, looking stunned.

"Yes, a deserter on the eve of battle," Theo cried, with a bitter laugh. "I've done for myself now, father. There was a hurried step in the corridor, and in a moment Adela was in her husband's arms, crying and laughing hysterically."

"I heard your voice, darling," she cried. "Why hadn't I been called? Didn't I tell you all he should come back to me? And now I've got him! I've got him! I've got him! his voice rising shrill and strained with excitement."

But what is the matter, Theo? Why do you look at me like that? What is the matter with you all?"

"The matter, madam," cried Judge Maxwell, sternly, "is disgrace to my son and your husband. By your falsehoods you brought him from his post—made him a deserter. Do you know what that means? A disgraceful death! Yes, that is what you have brought upon the man you professed to love."

He got no farther, for Adela's head fell back on her husband's shoulder in merciful unconsciousness. He strained her to his bosom and pressed a kiss upon her white lips.

"Dora, take her to her room," he said. "Be gentle with her for my sake, sister. She is only a child and did not know what she was doing. I must get away from here before she revives." He tightened his belt and pulled his cap over his eyes.

The old judge laid a trembling hand on his son's arm.

"Theo, my son," he said, tremulously, "don't go back! There is a squadron of

northern soldiers camped just back here in Miller's field. You can be taken prisoner by them, you know, and you'll be safe from, from!"

He stammered and choked.

"I understand you, father," Theo said, quietly. "You mean if I am taken prisoner I will escape a deserter's fate. It would add cowardice to desertion. No, sir, I will get back the soonest I can, and bear my fate as your son should. I had to run a cordon of Federal troops coming here, and I fear it will be hard work getting back through the lines."

"But Gen. Taylor is my friend." The old man's speech was growing inarticulate. "I will write to him, I will go to him. He must listen to me. No court martial could condemn you under such circumstances."

Theo smiled sadly.

"I hope for little leniency. I left on the eve of a battle, you must remember. Farewell, father! Be kind to my poor little wife. Dora, don't unman me!" She was clinging to him and sobbing convulsively. "If you love me you will go back to Adela. Do not tell her what may happen to me. I leave her to you all as a sacred charge," he added, solemnly, and before any one answered had gone.

"I will go myself," stammered the judge, trying to rise from his seat. "I will explain to Gen. Taylor. My boy shall not be sacrificed." A convulsion passed over his face, his feet refused to support him and he sank back in his chair.

We knew well what was the matter. A year before he had had an attack of paralysis, a slight one, and his old enemy had him once more in its relentless grip. For three days and nights we watched beside him until the end came.

A week afterward our cruel suspense as to Theo's fate was over. In trying to shoot the Federal pickets he had been shot.

"Thank God!" sobbed Dora, "he was spared the ignominious fate of a deserter. I think he wanted to be killed."

Adela's grief at first was violent. She soon returned to her father's house. In a few months I saw her there as lovely, as irresponsible and as gay as if she had not caused the disgrace and death of the man who had loved her more than his duty.—Marie B. Williams.

### Washington Society.

Perhaps you think I exaggerate. I don't mean to say every woman makes forty calls a day or every day. But the congressman's wife above named said to me: "I often make thirty or thirty-five calls in an afternoon. The greatest number I ever made was thirty-eight. I think I could make more if I had a better driver. I've heard of ladies making forty-five or fifty." Mrs. Fuller, the chief justice's wife, says she has made thirty-one calls between luncheon and dinner, and that she knows of a senator's wife who has made forty-eight in two hours. Mrs. Fuller could not keep up with her obligations, she says, if she didn't have four lively daughters to help her. She has 300 or more callers every Monday. The cabinet ladies have found it simply impossible to return calls, having often as many as 1,500 cards in a day, and last December they concluded to give up returns except their calls of civility on the wives of the supreme court justices and senators.—Washington Letter.

### British Red Tape.

It is doubtful if anything in the "red tape" line can excel two instances recently brought to public notice in connection with the military service of England. So minute are the reports required that Sir Evelyn Wood, commander at Aldershot, recently had occasion to record the momentous fact, with all the paraphernalia of imposing official documents and seals and the like, the thrilling fact that a private soldier had fallen over a stone and skinned his nose. Another instance of puerile inefficiency is seen in the case of a soldier who, while in Egypt in 1884, had an overissue of rations amounting to seventy cents. This has been the subject of a vast amount of official correspondence, involving reams of paper and rolls of red tape, and it is finally being settled by the discovery that the soldier held a certificate in full for the provisions in dispute.—San Francisco Chronicle.

### Niagara Falls Measurements.

The following are the latest statistics concerning the cataract. The outline of the American falls is about 1,600 feet, and the highest about 151 feet. The descent in the rapids above the American fall is about 40 feet to the half mile. The outline of the Horseshoe fall is about 2,600 feet, the height about 153 feet, and the descent in the rapid above about 65 feet to three-quarters of a mile. The volume of water passing over both falls is about 13,000,000 cubic feet per minute, or about one cubic mile per week, or 54 cubic miles per year.—Buffalo Courier.

### Brought Them Out in Sections.

One of our county physicians, who lives at Tazewell, was called to see a very tall gentleman who lives in the neighborhood of Brantly, and who was sick with the measles. On account of the exceeding height of the man the doctor advised him to paint a ring around his body with iodine and he would proceed to bring the measles out on him one at a time, as it would be impossible to accomplish the whole job at once. Our informant states that the ring was drawn and the measles brought out in sections.—Buena Vista (Ga.) Patriot.

### An Old Family.

Mr. De Pink—My dear, I've found a husband for you.  
Miss De Pink—Does he belong to an old family?  
Mr. De Pink—Yes, indeed. All his brothers are over 50 and he's gray headed himself.—Philadelphia Record.

Mr. Winks (looking over the paper)—Cheap Drugs & Co. are calling all sorts of patent medicines at half price.  
Mrs. Winks—Just our luck. There isn't anything the matter with any of us.—New York Weekly.

Are you made miserable by indigestion, constipation, dizziness, loss of appetite, yellow skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure.

### CHATTANOOGA SOUTHERN

NO LONGER A PROBABILITY, BUT A CERTAINTY.

The Company Quietly but Actively at Work, Asking No Favors Except the More Right of Way—Something of the Section Through which It Will Pass.

No railroad has ever been built in this section on which the work has been done as quietly and with as little asked on the part of the company as in the case of the Chattanooga Southern.

They have gone on quietly until they have their road in condition to be built at once, and then they make the modest request for a right of way, asking no subscription whatever.

The trouble as to the right of way at Blowing Springs delayed the company, but this has been settled and everything is now ready for business. A few miles of the road is graded, and work will be pushed rapidly forward.

It is pre-eminently the mineral road of this section. It opens up to Chattanooga almost inexhaustible beds of the richest iron ores, while lead, copper and silver are found along its line. Chattanooga will receive more benefit from this line of road than from almost any line that could possibly be built. Being the terminus of the road and in a position to handle the vast mineral and timber wealth of the region through which it passes, it will be a most valuable acquisition and the wealth that it will bring cannot be estimated.

The money is ready to build the road and it will be pushed through as fast as money can accomplish it.—Chattanooga Times.

### Emin Pasha.

There was a small telegram in yesterday's Age-Herald about a big man. A dispatch from Cairo intimated that Emin Pasha had administered a sound drubbing to the fanatical derivate and was in excellent health after the job.

The tangled reports that come from the Soudan leave us in doubt as to whether Stanley found and relieved Emin Pasha or Emin Pasha found and relieved Stanley. At any rate, when together they make, in the slang of the day, a good pair to draw to. Everybody knows Stanley's history, in fact, a good deal more of it than himself, but information as to the German savant is not so generally diffused.

An Austrian by birth and of the highest scientific attainments, this remarkable man attracted the attention of Chinese Gordon, then Governor of the Soudan, and the future martyr assigned him the task of breaking up the slave traffic in the Lower Soudan.

Gordon is dust, the Egyptian Government has undergone several transformations, but Emin, the first Bey, and new full-blown Pasha continues his task with a pertinacity and a placidity that argues a remarkably well strung nervous system.

Surrounded on all sides by cruel and fanatical foes, with treachery stalking in his camp and its shadow ever falling upon the walls of his tent, this hero has not only checked and chastised his enemies and maintained an iron grasp upon his followers, manufactured implements of warfare and ammunition for his rifles, but has continued a patient and assiduous study of the fauna and flora of the weird region that is at once his kingdom and his prison. In the silent watches of the night, when all his dusky followers, save the outposts, are locked in slumber, he bends over the microscope and reads the life of some tiny insect with as much interest as though in his studio at Vienna, and unconcerned by the thought that some far reaching rifle may flash out of the darkness and still that busy brain forever.

If providence permits him to complete his work, humanity will owe Emin Pasha a lasting debt for the abolition of hideous cruelty, and science will receive from his hands invaluable contributions to her stores.

Those who have followed his career are heartily glad to know that he is alive and well.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

### An Evident Hog.

The average Black Belt negro is a remarkable animal any way, and causes no end of trouble—in politics. His complaint is and has been that he can't get his vote counted, and on this complaint of his, presidential elections have been fought and lost and won. Yet, in truth, his vote is counted oftener than that of any other known description of the animal who votes.

He gets it counted at the polls in August for the Democratic ticket. It is next counted in the Democratic State Convention, and on the third and last call he gets it counted again in the Republican State Convention. The Black Belt negro is an evident hog.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

### Her Life Saved by Her Garter.

LITTLE ROCK, March 25.—Ida Lynch started to drown herself by jumping from the lower bridge across the Arkansas river, but the watchman caught her as she jumped, his hand catching in her garter, which was strong, and thus saved her life.

### A ROSEATE EPISODE.

We find, in the Clay County (Ala.) Advance the following:

"The dreamy creak of the creaking press and the busy click of the printing type in the influential monopoly of an editor's office, are frequently relieved by an agreeable diversity. Especially do these grave duties fall from our care, when we are aroused by the musical voice of beauty and our true meets the perfected charms of fairness. The presence of ladies is an ennobling and estimable, and we make our profound bow of the week in acknowledgement of a recent call from Misses Clara Smith and Annie Gilbert, graciously thanking our visitors for the courtesies extended."

Ah! brother, deep and cunning, truly art thou! We perceive, in these reverberating periods, not only the gallant acknowledgment of an ecstasy already experienced, but the ardent expectation of happiness still to come. Not for you the dreamy clank of the creaking press, the hasty click of the jingling type, the influential monotony of running the whole shop—not much! In the pauses of your change from editorial thunder to a one-elbow power on the Washington press, and whilst you pass from setting up a leader to justifying a joke, your jocular fancy gallops o'er many a flowery mead of imagination. You picture other galls from lovely women. You hear the musical voice of other beauty, and conjure up the perfected charms of other fairness. "Courtesies extended," forsooth! You have not told us what these courtesies consisted of, you don't intend to. And who shall blame you? But you harbor visions of other "courtesies extended" all the same. You dream of syllabub and sandwiches and fresh-laid eggs and, peradventure, cake—not the common church-fair article, but fine, strong, searching, nightmare cake; that will remain with you for many days and keep your memory fresh. You think of such things, brother, as you weave these beautiful meshes of eloquence wherewith to beacon further visitors from the fairy land of grace and loveliness. You are wise in your generation and your fame is not Dennis—not by any means.—Montgomery Dispatch.

### THE NEW COLLECTOR.

J. H. Marion, of Glen Addie's Successful Man.

Candidates can now go home and sleep sweetly for the next two years, for J. H. Marion, of Glen Addie, was last night elected Tax Collector vice J. F. James, resigned. Mr. Marion did not announce for the office until yesterday morning, and it may be considered a case of "the office seeking the man." He was born in Jacksonville and for a number of years has been connected with the Georgia Pacific Depot at this place as one of the clerks, and has made a most faithful and acceptable officer. He is chuck full of energy, and is well qualified to fill the position in every respect. He will discharge his duties to the entire satisfaction of the public. His genial, winning ways will enable him to collect the taxes out of "slow pay" parties without offending them in their long-established habit to "stave off the government" as long as possible; but once aroused him and he is not the man to let justice sleep too long.

In selecting Mr. Marion for the position the council has done an eminently wise thing. We predict that he will make a model officer and will not "let the grass grow under his feet" in keeping the city's exchequer well filled to meet current expenses. We are heartily in accord with the council in selecting Mr. Marion, and shall stand up to him as long as he does his duty faithfully and conscientiously—and any other officer who does the same thing.—Anniston News.

### STILL THEY COME.

The Rogers Locomotive Works Likely to Be Removed to Birmingham.

It is likely that the great plant of the Rogers Locomotive Works, now located in New Jersey, will soon be removed to Birmingham.

A well known broker said yesterday that he knew that twenty acres of ground at Gate City had been offered the company if they would establish their works there. Representatives have been here and looked over the ground and expressed themselves highly pleased with the surroundings. In fact, they said they were in favor of removing the works to Birmingham, and information received from them since their return home indicates that this will be done and at no very distant day.

This means another big enterprise for Birmingham, and others will follow.—Birmingham Herald.

### Election of Directors for the Dummy Line.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Anniston, Oxford & Choccolocco Dummy Line was held at Oxford yesterday, and nine-tenths of the subscribed stock was represented. The following officers and directors were elected: E. Locke, President; R. J. Riddle, Vice-President; T. M. Draper, Secretary; C. D. Woodruff, Treasurer. Directors: R. S. Riddle, W. G. Ledbetter, Anniston; T. C. Hill, D. C. Cooper, Oxford; J. C. Allen, J. T. D'Arman, of D'Armanville; S. N. Milligan, J. T. Davis, of Choccolocco; C. S. Whitfield, of C. Scarborough, White Plains.—Anniston Herald.

The Rev. Geo. H. Thayer, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to Shiloh's consumption cure."

Why will you cough when Shiloh's Cure will give you immediate relief. Price 10c, 50c and \$1. Sold by Hough & McManus.

Are you made miserable by indigestion, constipation, dizziness, loss of appetite, yellow skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure.



# The Republican.

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MARCH 30, 1889.

Chattanooga has voted seven hundred thousand dollars to improve her streets and the Times goes wild over the result.

The editor of the REPUBLICAN acknowledges an invitation to attend the annual dinner of the physicians of Anniston, at the Inn, April 2nd.

The White Plains, Choccoloco, Oxford and Anniston Dummy Line is about to materialize. Subscriptions along the line have been liberal and but little money remains to be raised.

Some of the Alabama newspapers are suggesting Mr. Thos. Welsh, of the Louisville & Nashville railroad, for Inter-State Railroad Commissioner vice Commissioner Walker, resigned. Mr. Welsh is thoroughly competent for the place and President Harrison could not make a mistake by appointing him. But is there any possibility of the appointment coming to Alabama?

Duncan Parker, son of Mr. D. T. Parker, of Anniston, died of pneumonia, Tuesday after an illness of twenty-five days. He was an only son. He was greatly beloved by the people of Anniston for his quick intelligence and bright and winning ways. The sympathies of friends of the parents here go out to them in this hour of their great loss and sad bereavement.

The Government will build a navy yard on the Gulf coast for the construction of war vessels, and a commission appointed for the purpose has been to Mobile to look into the claims of Mr. Vernon and other points near there. When completed this will give a great market for Alabama iron and coal, and will give Mobile a tremendous push forward. It looks like a good time is coming to all parts of Alabama.

The Oklahoma country will be open to settlement this month and two United States Land offices have been opened in the territory. For months people have been crowding to the territory and it has taken a small United States army to keep them out. When the land offices are opened there will be a grand rush for homesteads. The territory is said to be very fertile.

Mr. Sam Morgan, of Rome, Ga., passed Jacksonville Thursday to Choccoloco valley to attend the funeral of his father Mr. G. C. Morgan. Mr. Caleb Morgan (the name he was best known by) was one of the earliest settlers of this country. He was a man of correct principles and high character and during his long life enjoyed the esteem and confidence of his neighbors. His death must have been unexpected, as Mr. Samuel Morgan received a dispatch notifying him of his father's death only a few moments before the departure of the down train of the E. T. Va., and Ga., from Rome.

The Anniston papers want a county fair at some point in the southern end of the county. They will never have it if they wait for the farmers to organize it. They should not wait on the farmers. Such a fair would be a good thing for the business men of Anniston, Oxford and Oxanna, and these should put up the necessary funds to provide grounds and buildings, and advertise the show and pay premiums. The farmers will make exhibits and attend, and while doing so will spend amply enough with the business men of those towns to compensate them for their subscriptions. The succeeding year the fair would be almost all clean gain to the business men, for they would have the buildings and grounds paid for. The farmers of Calhoun tried a fair once and supported it three years, without very satisfactory pecuniary result, and they will not try it soon again, though some of them in best circumstances would no doubt now subscribe. The business men of Montgomery will put up twenty thousand dollars for a State fair in that city this year. That is the way to do business. One fair subscription list is worth any number of editorials. We hope Mr. Nunnally will constitute himself a committee of one to raise funds, and then raise them, when it has to do it at the end of his old Mexican horse pistol.

## NOT LIKELY.

The only paper in North Alabama making a strenuous opposition to the legislative basis, outside of Birmingham, is the Jacksonville Republican. We are sorry to see such a staunch Democratic journal as the Republican indulging in the kind of sophistry it uses. It ought to know and to do better. The legislative basis is the only broad, equitable thing, a fact borne out by party practice in the whole country. The Republican, we are sure, will change its opinion after reading the arguments that have been made on both sides.—Montgomery Advertiser.

The Advertiser calls a demand for fair treatment of Democrats in Democratic convention, sophistry. An objection to allowing Dallas, with not so large a Democratic vote as Calhoun, twice the representation in a State Democratic convention that Calhoun has, is all sophistry with the Advertiser. The Advertiser

on this subject of representation, the REPUBLICAN desires to stir up no strife in the party. It would rather endure the ills we have than see the party split in Alabama; but it does not believe a manly demand on the part of the Democrats in this section for that representation in the State convention to which they are entitled, will have that effect. On the contrary we are led to hope from the brave letter of Gen. Pettus that such a demand will be conceded without any serious opposition by the patriotic Democrats of the Black Belt. The Advertiser is the only paper in the State, we believe, which is kicking at Gen. Pettus' generous and manifestly just proposition. The Advertiser will have to come to the fair thing "will or nill."

## HOW WE PROGRESS.

### THE MANUFACTURER'S REVIEW OF SOUTHERN INDUSTRIES.

The Money Invested During the First Three Months of 1889 Aboard the Record—Industries Large and Small Springing Up as is by Magic—The Outlook.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 26.—The Manufacturers' Record of this week will publish its quarterly report of Southern industrial progress, giving the name, location and character of business of 1,250 new industrial enterprises that have been organized since January 1st.

The amount of capital and capital stock represented by this list of new enterprises and the enlargement of old plants during last three months as compared with the same time in 1888, was as follows, first three months.

	1888	1889
Alabama	\$10,078,000	4,093,000
Arkansas	3,652,000	1,950,000
Florida	764,000	1,313,000
Georgia	4,755,000	2,393,000
Kentucky	8,555,000	5,466,000
Louisiana	1,926,000	1,233,000
Maryland	4,118,000	2,069,000
Mississippi	769,000	491,000
North Carolina	212,000	306,000
South Carolina	856,000	184,000
Tennessee	4,839,000	3,519,000
Texas	6,945,000	6,424,000
Virginia	5,296,000	299,000
West Virginia	3,396,000	1,447,000
Total	\$58,227,000	\$38,665,000

These figures show a gain of nearly \$20,000,000. The comparison of new enterprises organized or projected during the last three months as compared with the corresponding time in 1888, gives the following.

	1888	1889
Iron furnaces	19	8
Machine shops and foundry	41	36
Agricultural implement factories	4	4
Flour mills	39	35
Cotton mills	32	32
Furniture factories	22	16
Gas works	6	10
Water works	25	26
Carriage and wagon factories	14	27
Electric light companies	63	42
Mining and quarrying enterprises	141	139
Wood-working factories, including saw and planing mills, sash and door factories, stove factories, etc.	325	353
Ice factories	31	12
Canning factories	40	103
Stove foundries	1	2
Brick works	52	35
Miscellaneous iron works, rolling mills, pipe works, etc.	12	2
Cotton compresses	5	7
Cotton seed oil mills	16	62
Miscellaneous enterprises not included in the foregoing	354	277
Total	1,250	1,075

The Manufacturers' Record says: A bare recapitulation of minor enterprises and industries, outside of the mines, railways, furnaces and factories undertaken of enlarged in the South during the past three months is a task in itself but what with the projects that are forming, many all but executed and the building outlook in almost every city and town, the industrial record for the year, promises to be the greatest in the South's history. The range of enterprise is vast and really embraces the whole field of industry.

Scarcely a week has past since the opening of the year that has not witnessed the formation of companies backed by millions of capital to prosecute great enterprises.

The whole number of smaller but none the less important ventures, have surprisingly multiplied. The fact is that the south's "real boom has come."

There are now 1001 inmates of the Alabama Insane Hospital, located at this place. Of this number about 500 are white and 500 colored. Dr. Bryce informed the Gazette yesterday that the present is the largest number that has ever had in the hospital at

## NOT TO BE TRUSTED.

The Ragging Combine More Complete Than It Was Last Year.

The business men and merchants of this country who keep the run of such things, expect to see another ragging trust come down on the farmers like a thousand bricks again before the next cotton crop gets white with the harvest.

In order to keep out of a squeeze one firm of Montgomery merchants have already bought over 3,000 rolls of bagging for the trade next fall.

## THE REORGANIZATION.

A dispatch to the New Orleans Times Democrat from St. Louis says: The reorganization of the jute bagging combine caused a sensation here among cotton factors and southern shippers.

The opinion was expressed among these people that, while the combination does not partake of a regular trust so much as last year, it is a great deal more perfectly formed, and will have more absolute control of the market than its predecessor.

There were several mills last year which were out of the trust and which became very hostile to it in throwing bagging on the market under trust prices. The biggest of these was the Ludlow Mill in Boston, which has been tied up so that no fear is entertained of its breaking the market.

Several others have been placed in the same position, while the mill at Fern, Ind., has been completely taken into the combine. This will soon lead to a great deal of bagging in St. Louis last year, but inquiries made now by the firm which bought from it most heavily brought the reply that it is out of the market and not in the business.

It was also said that the mills which are to remain idle are to receive bagging to the amount of their capacity from the combination mills. The price agreed upon depends upon the price of jute butts, so much above their cost, and there is no limit as to what the mills shall sell for.

## A Bival for Jute.

One of the characteristic features of the industrial discoveries and inventions of the day is the development of new fibers. Jute, for many years, has held a prominent place, and has acquired such importance that it has come to be looked upon as a necessity. A combination of manufacturers and dealers have, to a great extent, controlled the market, but now it is said that the pine needles have proved sharp enough to prick some very serious holes in the trust. Unquestionably the pine needles contain a fiber, but the problem of economically extracting it without impairing its length or tenacity, was hard to solve. A typical patent is one granted to W. Latimer of N. C. He proposes to utilize the fiber principally for the manufacture of bags for inclosing cotton bales. As a material for the latter purpose, jute has long reigned supreme. The treatment of the "needles" is a simple one. The outer coating of the leaves is silicious in composition, while the inner parts are resinous and pulpy. Hence Mr. Latimer proposes to energetically attack and destroy the outer coating first, and then to apply a more moderate treatment to the easily disposed of chlorophyll and resin of the inner portions of the leaf.

## Physicians Confess.

All honest, conscientious physicians who give B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) a trial, frankly admit its superiority over any other blood medicine.

Dr. W. J. Adair, Rockmart, Ga., writes: "I regard B. B. B. as one of the best blood medicines."

Dr. A. H. Roscoe, Nashville, Tenn., writes: "All reports of B. B. B. are favorable, and its speedy action is truly wonderful."

Dr. J. W. Rhodes, Crawfordsville, Ga., writes: "I confess B. B. B. is and quickest medicine for rheumatism I have ever tried."

Dr. S. J. Farmer, Crawfordsville, Ga., writes: "I cheerfully recommend B. B. B. as a fine little alternative. Its use cured an excruciating pain of the neck after other remedies effected no perceptible good."

A prominent physician who wishes his name not given, says: "A patient of mine whose case of tertiary syphilis was surely killing him, and which no treatment seemed to check, was cured with about twelve bottles of B. B. B. He was fairly made up of skin and bones and terrible ulcers."

Dr. E. J. Hagler, a merchant and prominent citizen of Vance's Station, died at his home at this place on Saturday night, the 23rd inst., of

## MEN WHO HATE WOMEN.

A PHYSICIAN TELLS HIS EXPERIENCE WITH MISOGYNISTS.

A Mad Musician's Flight from His Family—Frightened by the Sight of a Woman—Prejudiced by Being Annoyed, Strange Cases of Aversion.

"Women haters! Plenty of them!" A doctor reporter had met a well known physician in an uptown cafe and interrupted a conversation that the doctor was holding with a friend over a cigar and a bottle of claret. He spoke easily and with confidence that he knew his subject.

To hate a woman, especially one of the dainty, loving kind, upon whose glances men hang enthralled, or for whose kindly glances men would sacrifice their souls, seemed incredible. Perish the thought! And yet the visitor was introduced into remarkable cases in which men had sworn they hated women, only to be captured and put in bondage by a pair of bright eyes.

The physician struck a fresh match and watched the smoke from his cigar curl lazily upward as he related a few strange incidents that had come under his observation professionally.

"The story told by Holmes," "One case that I recall," said the doctor, "was that of a German, a member of all the musical societies, who late in life acquired and betrayed an intense hatred of all women. He had been happily married, and no one suspected him of this new feeling that began to creep over him and destroy the love he had felt for his wife and the respect for his mother."

He struggled against it and fought it, but it was no use, and the disease, if such it may be called, began to show itself to his family and friends, and an instant estrangement from his wife was the result. He ran away from his home and was finally returned, hopeless, insane.

"Now," concluded the doctor, "there was a man who was a woman hater, only he did not know it because he was insane. The physicians had allowed his case to go."

The conversation turned then to a case that had been mentioned by the doctor. A young boy had been left in charge of a nurse, and he had suddenly gone insane. In her maniacal frenzy she tried to strangle her innocent charge, and only desisted when she thought she had succeeded in her object. The boy killed herself with a razor, which left her most ghastly sight. The boy killed, the first thing his eyes fell upon was the corpse.

From that day throughout his childhood and up to the day of his death the sight of a woman was enough to throw him into convulsions. His nurses were men, and his family decided it best to seclude him. No woman ever entered his apartments, but all the work of taking care of him devolved upon men. He died in those rooms.

"Yes, that is very strange," said the physician, meditatively. "I think I know of one nearly as remarkable," and he went on to relate the following:

"In the spring of '81 I was called in by a prominent banker to attend to his son, who had suddenly become afflicted with a strange state of mind, which proved to be a hatred of women. This family could not understand the matter, but I had been a leader in social events and fond of ladies' society."

"I found the young fellow's constitution very much run down, and I made him admit that he was a victim of the opium habit. He confessed to me an aversion that had been growing, but which he would not repeat, as it is too long, in which he had been scared nearly out of his wits by a woman."

"It was easy enough for me to see that unless the impression caught and retained by his mind in his infelicitous state could be removed, he would remain a woman hater all his life."

"Was it ever removed, doctor," asked one of the listeners.

"Never," was the answer, and the party relapsed into silence for a moment. They ANNOYED HIM.

A diversion was caused by the waiter's removal of an empty bottle and the substitution of a fresh one, and the conversation was resumed.

"Tell us another, doctor," insisted the newspaper man.

"I could tell you several more, but would have to be brief, as a patient is waiting."

He recollected a man who stood very high in all affairs connected with education in New York. He, too, was a woman hater. As his opinion on school affairs was considered valuable, many teachers, especially ladies, used to run to him for advice, but as he was deeply engaged in study, their calls were a source of annoyance to him and irritated him into the state of mind that I have mentioned.

"He was a bachelor, but he finally discarded all women servants, subsisting upon cold and ordered were given that no woman was to be allowed to set foot within his doors. He has often told me that women had prevented his reaching the highest rounds of science and that he could never regain the time lost."

## Pine Fibre Bagging.

The Acme Manufacturing Company have received all the machinery necessary for the manufacture of pine fibre bagging now being adjusted and placed in position at the factory. By the 15th inst., at the farthest, everything will be ready and the manufacture of the bagging will begin on an extensive scale. A number of capitalists from the North will then visit the factory to examine thoroughly into the process. They will remain a week or ten days and if convinced that it is a success, steps will be immediately taken to build and equip factories throughout the pine regions of the Southern States; and if this plan is carried out, quite a flumber will be in operation in time for the next cotton season.

The Acme company are so thoroughly satisfied of the success of their invention that they entertained no doubt of their ability to enlist the cordial co-operation of the capitalists. This will be very gratifying both to the members and the friends of that corporation.—Wilmington Star.

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For most light with least oil, use the Rochester Triple Burner. Old lamps fitted with these burners for 75 cents. A big stock of library and hall lamps, very handsome, at from \$2.50 to \$15. Glass stand lamps from 20 cents to \$1.50.

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## Sheriff Sale.

Under and by virtue of an execution issued from the City Court of Birmingham on the 4th day of February, 1889, in favor of Samuel J. Martin, against J. S. Martin, I will proceed to sell on Monday the 18th day of April 1889, at public outcry, before the court house door in the town of Jacksonville, Calhoun county, Alabama, to the highest bidder, for cash, within the legal hours of sale, the following described property to-wit: One house and lot No. 4, Block 188, on Glenn Addie street, in the city of Anniston, in Calhoun county, Alabama, as the property of J. S. Martin for the satisfaction of said execution. L. P. CARPENTER, Sheriff.

## Tax Decees.

The Tax Collector of Calhoun county, Ala., D. Z. Goodlett, filed in my office on March 9th 1889, a list of lands and lots upon which the taxes and costs were unpaid for the year 1888, and back years. Notice is hereby given, unless the owner or agent comes forward and pays off the taxes and costs accrued on said lands and lots, or show cause why the Decees should not be rendered against said lands and lots for the sale thereof, a decree will be rendered on the 8th day of April 1889, being the 2nd Monday in said month, and a Registar in Term of the Probate Court of said county, for the sale of said lands for the payment of the taxes assessed against them, and costs for the year 1888 and previous years, which they escaped taxation, as follows:

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 2.—Half mineral interest in the 5th SW 1/4, Sec. 7, T. 14, R. 6, of NE 1/4 and part of W 1/2 of NW 1/4 Sec. 18, T. 14, R. 6.

Taxes for 1888, \$ 40  
Costs 1.20  
Advertising 1.20  
Total \$3.60

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 2.—SE 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 22, T. 15, R. 7, 40 acres. Taxes '87 & '88 \$1.28  
Costs 1.20  
Advertising 1.40  
Total \$3.88

Mrs. E. Smith, Pre. No. 5.—NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 25, T. 18, R. 6.—40 acres. Taxes for 5 years, \$6.00  
Costs 1.20  
Advertising 1.45  
Total \$8.65

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 6.—W 1/2 of SE 1/4 Sec. 25, T. 14, R. 6.—80 acres. Taxes for 5 years \$6.40  
Costs 1.20  
Advertising 1.35  
Total \$8.95

L. B. Bunney, Pre. No. 9.—Lot in Piedmont one-eighth of an acre, bounded south by C. I. Sharp, north by Jacksonville road, west by J. A. Woolf and east by J. I. Sharp. Taxes for 5 years \$3.00  
Costs 1.20  
Advertising 1.80  
Total \$6.00

P. P. Houston, Pre. No. 13.—Lot 8 Block 5, Division 1, in Oxanna, Ala., and Lot 8, Block 27, Division 1, Oxanna, Ala. Taxes for 1888 \$6.40  
Costs 1.20  
Advertising 1.50  
Total \$9.10

Owner Unknown, Pre. No. 15.—Lot No. 10, Block 2, as shown in Walker's map of Anniston of 1888. Taxes for 1888 \$28.50  
Costs 1.20  
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## Nick, Nick, Nick.

Spring is busy on us and the gardeners are busy.

Shiloh's catarrh remedy—a positive cure for catarrh, diphtheria and canker-mouth. For sale by Hough & McManus.

Gen. Burke went to Washington this week.

Rev. J. M. McLean will preach at the Presbyterian church in Jacksonville Sunday at 11 o'clock.

For dyspepsia and liver complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's. It never fails to cure. Sold by Hough & McManus.

Splendid weather for farming and the farmers are making the most of it.

For Sale.—Three milch cows with young calves for sale. Apply to S. J. Stevenson, 2 miles south of Jacksonville, Ala.

We are agents for the "Nickel Ant" cigars. Guaranteed to be clear Havana filled.

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Mr. John J. and Mr. Robt. Adams are making improvements to their houses.

Shiloh's cure will immediately relieve croup, whooping cough and Bronchitis.

Mr. Fred Wolfe and a party of gentlemen from the Northwest were in Jacksonville Wednesday and Thursday prospecting.

A nasal injector free with each bottle of Shiloh's catarrh remedy. Price 50 cents. Sold by Hough & McManus.

The Excelsior Lumber Company got their machinery to work Thursday. As soon as a large boiler now on the way for their 40 horse power engine arrives, the company will make things hum. At present a smaller engine is in use. At this establishment all kinds of building lumber will be prepared.

War with Germany, it's all a mistake. But Rowan, Dean & Co. are still having an elegant trade on the "Nickel Ant" cigar, sold at 5c. Try a sample.

## Special Mail Order Department.

We beg to inform our friends and patrons that we have opened a "Special mail order department," under the personal supervision of our Mr. Aleo. Ullman. Orders sent to us by mail will receive prompt and careful attention. Resp'y,

Ullman Bros.,

Anniston, Ala.

Judge Crook's family have gone to Florida, the Judge is stopping at the Warwick House, (formerly Jacksonville Hotel) during their absence.

Cotton Seed.—Four hundred bushels of cotton seed, for planting, for sale. J. M. Vansandt & Co., Jacksonville, Ala.

## Baptist Church.

You are respectfully and cordially invited to attend the following services at the Baptist Church to-morrow (Sunday). Sunday School 9 a. m. Col. James Crook, Supt. Preaching 11 o'clock a. m. Subject: "Faith and Sacrifice of Abel." Preaching 7:15 p. m. Subject: "Cain." Monthly business meeting of the church at 3 o'clock p. m.

M. H. Lane, D. D.

Pastor.

Hark! Listen! 'Tis whispered on the street corners of Jacksonville, Ala., that Rowan, Dean & Co., are having immense sales on the "Nickel Ant" cigar. 'Tis guaranteed clear Havana filled. Sold strictly for 5c each.

The debate at the State Normal School last Saturday night was largely attended and was very interesting. The question was "should not the 15th amendment to the constitution be repealed?" Messrs. Sox and Connor had the affirmative side and Messrs. Bynum and Ury the negative. The decision of the committee was that the negative side won in the argument. Prof. McKee delivered a graceful address on "Language as a vehicle for thought and Mr. Whetstone declaimed with credit a very fine selection. The music and song by the ladies was very fine.

Ah, there, my size? Boys, your sweethearts will not love you if you do not smoke "Nickel Ant" cigars, for 5c each.

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## Religious Services.

The Presbytery of North Alabama will hold its Spring session in the Presbyterian church at Jacksonville Ala., commencing at 7:30 p. m., April 17th 1889, and by order of Synod the said Presbytery will hold a convention in the interest of Foreign Missions in said church, commencing Tuesday April 17th (day preceding Presbytery) at 7:30 p. m., with like services Wednesday 17th at 9:30 a. m., and 2:30 p. m. All christian people and the public generally are cordially invited to attend these services.

W. M. HAMES.

Rev. H. M. Lane, County Superintendent, has received the school money for Calhoun and would like to pay it out to the teachers at once.

Miss Minnie has just closed a three months school at Mount Olive church, beat 7 of this county. We are requested to state by the patrons of the school that they are well pleased with her methods and will be glad to have her teach again.

Judge M. J. Turnley, died in Chattanooga some days ago, at the house of his daughter. Judge Turnley was a citizen of Jacksonville for twenty-five or thirty years before his removal to Gadsden.

## HONOR ROLL.

State Normal School, March, 1889.

Clifford Adams, Ida Arnold, Goldie Ayers, Marie Burke, O. E. Bynum, Maggie Clark, Cora Crow, Annie Davenport, Ethel Davenport, Cora Lee Driskill, John Forney, Emily Goodlett, Bluebell Lane, Dolly Lane, Undine Lane, Paula Matthews, Floy Montgomery, Carl Monk, Theresa Nisbet, Lizzie Privett, Frank Privett, Nannie Ross, Jeff Sox, Forney Stevenson, Sammie Swan, Lattie Weems, Little Weems, Madgie Wilkerson, Gus Williams, Ida Woodward, Tim Walker, Lee Ward, Mary Ward, Jessie Warlick, Willie Whisenant, Frank Williams, Thomas Wright, J. F. Whetstone.

## Married in Calhoun.

Jeff Price and Mary Crankfield, col. Carter DeArman and Winnie Rutledge. W. E. Baldwin and Kate L. Stein. L. L. Chestnut and Florie Williams. W. E. Saxton and Debbie Atkinson. Gil Berry, col., and Ella Mitchell, col. Spencer Franks, col., and Kate Ramsey, col. Wm. W. Johnson and Mrs. Nancy C. Brown. Jas. Russell and Willie G. Heath. Geo. S. Owen and Hattie Cochran. M. G. Hewitt and Nannie Williams.

Will you suffer with dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. Sold by Hough & McManus.

## Artemus Ward's Suggestion.

From the New York Tribune. A black list has been prepared by the Atlanta Constitution of railroads "whose trains are constantly coming into Atlanta behind time." One of the best of stories that were attributed to Artemus Ward relates to a railroad whose trains were exasperatingly slow and unwelcome. Said Artemus to one of the conductors of this road, as he was riding along at a snail's pace upon "the morning express," "Does this road allow passengers to make suggestions in regard to its management, in case the suggestions are submitted in a friendly spirit?" The conductor replied he was prepared to listen to any hints on railway management that passengers chose to tender him. "Well," Artemus went on, "I've been thinking it over, and it occurs to me that you ought to transfer your cow-catcher from the front to the rear of this train. For of course we're not likely to overtake a cow but a cow might stray into the train from the rear and bite a passenger." It is to be hoped that no train that runs into Atlanta needs to have its cowcatcher reversed.

The great among the children of men must die, like the least and most insignificant. Within five days we have recorded the deaths of Justice Matthews, Congressman Neal and Mahoney in this country, and of John Bright and the duke of Buckingham in England, at the rate of one for each day.—Chattanooga Times.

The Florence Wave says that a \$400,000 cotton mill that will give employment to 1000 operatives, has been located at Florence by wealthy cotton men of the Keystone State, and that work will be commenced at an early day.

## WHITE HOUSE SERVANTS.

Colored Domestic and Retainers I read—Virginia Negroes Exalted.

RICHMOND, Va., March 27.—The most intense excitement prevails among the negro population here over the announcement that Mrs. Harrison had dismissed all the colored servants at the White House and employed white domestics in their stead. All over the city the utmost gloom and despondency seems to have settled over the colored people, who discuss among themselves the extraordinary change instituted by the mistress of the White House. If such a thing had been done by Mrs. Cleveland, the wife of a Democratic President, they could have understood and could have explained it satisfactorily to themselves as a measure directed against themselves on strictly party grounds. Coming, however, as it does, before republican Mr. and Mrs. Harrison are well settled in the White House, it is incomprehensible.

All of the negroes approached on the subject refused to be interviewed. They mutter and become irritated when asked any questions on the subject. It is hard to say now what will be the outcome of Mrs. Harrison's act. She has set an example which, if followed throughout the North and South, may result in changing the whole political situation in the country.

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In the case of Johnson Ellis, at Troy, charged with murdering his half brother, Justice Reeves has rendered a decision remanding the accused without bail, to await the action of the grand jury.

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## SPECIAL NOTICE.

To the Stockholders of the Jacksonville, Gadsden & Atlanta R. R. Co. A meeting of the Stockholders of the said Railway Company will be held on Tuesday, April 2nd, at the office of the Jacksonville Mining & Manufacturing Co., in Jacksonville, Alabama, for the purpose of electing officers, ratifying the action of the board of directors had at a meeting on the 15th day of February, granting certain rights and property to the Jacksonville, Gadsden & Atlanta Railway Co., and to transact whatever other business may come before them.

H. L. STEVENSON, President. JNO. D. HAMMOND, Secretary.

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## PATENTS.

Caveats, Re-issues and Trade-Marks secured, and all other patent causes in the Patent Office and before the Courts promptly and carefully attended to. Upon receipt of model for sketch of invention, I will make a careful examination, and advise as to patentability. Free of Charge. Fees Moderate, and I make no charge unless Patent is secured. Information, advice and special reference sent on application.

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## NOTICE.

Having leased the Wool Carder and Gin formerly run by A. J. Richey, three miles west of Jacksonville, I have had all of said machinery thoroughly overhauled and am now prepared to execute all work in first-class style. Satisfaction guaranteed. All wool shipped to the depot by railroad will be received and returned promptly and with utmost care.

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## NOTICE NO. 8469.

Land Office at Montgomery, Ala., January 17 1889. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville Ala., on March 15, 1889, viz: Emily M. Rogers, widow of Jonas B. Rogers, Homestead 7816, for the W 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 10, Tp. 11, R. 6.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, to-wit: B. C. Brown, of Ocala, Fla. J. G. HARRIS, Register.

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## For Sale.

Several thousand stalks of sugar cane for seed, on my farm in Alexandria Valley, from the 15th of March until the 5th of April at \$2.00 per hundred or \$15.00 per thousand stalks. On suitable soil yields 400 to 500 gallons per acre and sells readily at nearly double the price of sorghum syrup. Terms cash.

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## Imitation Wines.

We have never yet heard of a wine merchant quixotic enough to deal arrogantly in "imitation wines," says a London journal, or even to inform his customers that the champagnes and clarets, sautes and burgundies with which he supplies them at so many shillings a dozen, were imported into France for conversion from Spain, Italy, Hungary, Greece, or even far California. It is still less agreeable, from the purchaser's point of view, to reflect that these so-called wines were manufactured of all sorts of heterogeneous ingredients at Hamburg, the headquarters of continental falsification—a city in which more "vin de Bordeaux" is annually produced than in the whole department of the Gironde, just as more "Havanas" are fabricated than go to three times the entire yield of all the Cuban tobacco plantations.

With respect to these malpractices, heavy charges, we regret to say, only too solidly founded on fact, have of late been brought against the wine trade, by persons manifestly well acquainted with the nefarious maneuvers in which growers and shippers, importers and retailers alike, are leagued together with the avowed purpose of defrauding the consumer. Their victim being the only honest man connected with the whole transaction—that is, if he pays his wine bill—is necessarily at the mercy of so formidable a hostile coalition, and is foredoomed, so to speak, without benefit of clergy, to wages, good money for worthless wares, deliberately retained upon him under false pretenses.—Boston Herald.

## What She Gave.

"Oh dear, I've nothing to put in the box for foreign missions!" complained a little girl of our acquaintance. "No," said her friend, as she gave the little maid a caress, "but you are a little home missionary."

And was she not? She spent an hour that morning amusing her baby sister, who was cross with cutting teeth. She sewed up a tear in Brother Ned's ball, and hunted up some twine for his kite string, and she did it with a smiling face, and a word of being bothered. Yesterday this little home missionary attended the door bell for Mary, the housemaid, and let her go to visit her sick child. Meantime she wrote a letter to her absent father, who was away on business, in which she told him all the home news in a frank, artless way, giving the cheeriest and loveliest of pleasure in his little daughter.

She listened to one of grandma's old stories, told many times before, with patient attention. She laughed just at the right time to please the old lady, and when it was ended, she said:

"That's one of your good old stories, grandma. In many ways did this little maid help and cheer her mother. So, though she could not contribute to the aid of foreign mission, she gave what could add to the happiness of those about her, and who can do better than that?—Youth's Companion.

## How to Deal with Diphtheria.

A committee of the Massachusetts Medical Society, appointed to confer with the state board of health relative to diphtheria, officially recommends that the society, both collectively and individually, should foster as far as they can a proper sentiment in the community as to the contagious nature of the disease, and more especially should encourage its earliest possible recognition and report to the board of health in each individual case. By these methods a public sentiment will sooner or later be created justifying and requiring from the proper authorities a suitable separate hospital for the treatment of infectious and contagious diseases, such, for instance, as are required by law in England, with ample means for support, and over which there shall be absolute authority, as already exists over the hospital for small-pox. In the absence of these necessary facilities for thorough isolation it is impossible to exercise an efficient control over the disease, and the danger from time to time becomes epidemic in the city, and which have gained a permanent foothold here.—Boston Journal.

## Carried the Proof with Them.

Two ex-Confederates who applied for allowance under the military order act showed strong proof that they were badly hurt during the war. About 2 o'clock Mr. Lucius Maxwell walked in, and taking from his pocket an old Confederate passport slowly unwound it and laid before Col. Tip Harrison six pieces of his skull. Mr. Maxwell was a member of the Forty-second Georgia regiment, and received a terrible wound in the head in one of the battles around Atlanta in July, 1864. About 4 o'clock Mr. Josephus Riden came in and took from his pocketbook a piece of his own skull which he has preserved all these years. Mr. Riden was a member of the Third Georgia regiment and was shot in the top of his head at the battle of Jonesboro. To this day these unfortunate veterans still suffer from the effects of their dangerous wounds, and have never been able to do steady work since they were received. It is hardly necessary to add that the applications of the two were promptly allowed.—Atlanta Constitution.

## Lady Travelers.

A great deal is said and written tending to show that the gentler sex know as little about traveling as the sterner sex know of fashion plates, but it is about time to call a halt on that proposition. Traveling by rail has become so common that there are very few ladies, emigrants excluded, and among that class the men know as little as the women, who are not perfectly capable of taking care of themselves on a journey of a few hundred miles. They are as speedily served with tickets as the average man, and more ready disposed than many of the latter, and ask fewer questions as to when the train will depart, where it can be found, how often they will be compelled to change cars, etc. The age is progressive, and in railroad traveling the ladies are keeping right up with the procession.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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## THE ROTHSCHILDS.

Characteristics of the Parent Heads of the Rothschild Family.

Some ten years ago old Baron Rothschild passed away full of years, leaving behind him a gigantic fortune. His three nephews, Nathaniel, Leopold and Alfred, sons of Baron Lionel Rothschild, inherited the city business, while his vast riches in cash, lands, house property and securities were for the most part bequeathed to his daughter, the Countess of Rosbery. The three London Rothschilds of today bear little resemblance, either in face, form or business habits, to either their late father or uncle. The elder, Nathaniel, lately created Lord Rothschild, is a far seeing man of great business capacity, and under his guidance the great house still maintains its supremacy in the world of London finance. He is, however, a man who devotes his attention only to great enterprises, and consequently a vast amount of minor business of a very profitable nature that used to be executed by the Rothschilds has of late flowed into other channels.

His lordship excels as a diplomat, and his relations with Gladstone's government during the Egyptian affair were close and invaluable to his house. Simple British tax payers, who paid any attention to the part England was playing in the Khedive's affairs for a year or two previous to the shattering of the heroic Gordon at Khartoum, roundly asserted that her expensive interference in Egypt would never have been pushed so far but for the vast interests of the Rothschilds and their clients "there at stake." The head of the firm does not inherit his uncle's love of sport; he neither breeds nor runs thoroughbred race horses, and is rarely seen in the hunting field, though in a perfunctory manner he still keeps up the famed pack of staghounds. His counsel in financial matters is highly esteemed by her majesty's government, and his life, like that of his predecessor, is devoted to money getting. More Jewish in appearance than either of his brothers, his character and habits also more clearly indicate his Hebrew origin.

Alfred de Rothschild is also very regular in his attention to business in "the lane." He is not generally credited with any particular aptitude for playing the great game of finance, but has charge of the routine business of the firm. Almost any morning on the stroke of 11 his neat brougham may be seen pulling up at the corner of Cannon street and St. Swithin's lane, whence its elegantly attired owner proceeds on foot to his office. He is a handsome man, of medium stature and dark complexion, and his features are only slightly indicative of his Semitic origin. In private life he is something of a sybarite; his taste in works of art is highly cultivated; he is a liberal patron of some of the first painters of the day, and an ardent and discriminating collector of old china and bric-a-brac.

Leopold de Rothschild does not resemble his brothers either in his features or mode of life. The younger brother takes but little part in the business of the great house, and rarely puts in an appearance in St. Swithin's lane. He is a somewhat delicate looking man, of fair complexion, with a mild, kindly face. A liberal patron of the drama, he is rarely absent from his box at the opera, or still at the theatre on "first nights," and he numbers among his friends many of the leading members of the profession. He is in the Prince of Wales' set, and is on terms of intimacy with the heir apparent. But it is as an owner of race horses that Leopold de Rothschild is, perhaps, best known to the English people. While lacking his late uncle's enthusiasm in his pursuit of the national sport of Britons, he maintains a large stable of thoroughbreds at Newmarket, where he also has a residence, and it may fairly be said that there are no colors more popular on the turf than the Rothschild blue and yellow.

One estimable characteristic of the English Rothschilds may be noted as the common possession of each of the three brothers. Their charity knows no limit, their sympathy once enlisted on behalf of a worthy object. Their names are never missing from any public subscription list, while their private benevolences are ever dispensed with open hand and presumably cheerful heart.—Philadelphia Times.

## Compressed Sawdust for Fire Wood.

"I'm thinking of making a dryer for drying sawdust," said a well known Leviston man, Tuesday. "I've got a big business some day. A firm down in Bangor is taking the lead. Their purpose is, you know, to press it by hydraulic power into about one-tenth its bulk, and sell it for fuel after all the moisture has been excluded. You see the effect of moisture. The intense steam created by burning would burst the adjoining structure and make it inefficient as fuel. When you come to think of the enormous waste of sawdust it is apparent that modern economies has hold of the right end of a long clew."—Leviston Journal.

## An Arizona Indian Shampoo.

The hair of both sexes is worn long, reaching nearly to the waist, and is cut squarely across. Do the dusky children of the desert profane their own locks with brush or comb? Not to any great extent. They follow the lead of one economical, unique and effective. They make a thick paste of the adobe soil and water, and, having wound the hair closely around their heads, they smear it from brow to occiput with sticky gray mud and let it dry. When thoroughly dry it is cracked off and the hair emerges therefrom clean, smooth and glossy as the proverbial swan's wing. Compared to this, the shampoo of civilization is foolishness.—Chicago Tribune.

## Mrs. Hobbs' Blue Book.

Hobbs—Where're you going with that dress? Mrs. Hobbs—Out calling; this is my new directory costume. Hobbs—Ah, I see, it helps you remember the names of the people you want to call on. Those directory publishers have long heads.—Detroit Free Press.

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TAX NOTICE.

Assessor's Second Round.

I will be at the places the days mentioned below for the purpose of assessing the State, County and City Taxes for the year 1889, for Calhoun county, State of Alabama. All persons subject to taxation under the law are earnestly requested to meet me promptly at my appointments at this my second round, with a full list of property, with its full cash value, with correct numbers of lands and town lots in every case, as required by law.

According to law, all persons are required to give in their own property, or by an authorized agent. Parties giving in their poll tax must bring the number of their Township and range.

BEAT.

17 DeArmanville, Monday, March 12.

12 Choccolocco, Tuesday March 6.

12 Davisville, Wednesday March 6.

11 White Plains, Thursday March 7.

10 Rabbit Town, Friday March 8.

10 Morgan's Store, Saturday March 9.

10 Wilton's Store, Monday March 11.

16 Ladiga, Tuesday March 12.

9 Piedmont, Wednesday & Sat. 5 day March 13 and 14.

8 Allsup Friday March 15.

8 Green's School House, Saturday March 16.

1 Jacksonsville, Monday & Tuesday March 18 and 19.

3 Four Mile Springs, Wednesday March 20.

3 Weaver's Station, Thursday March 21.



**ALABAMA IN BRIEF.**  
Childersburg has a new paper called the "Cleanser."  
The Geneva Record has passed into the hands of A. L. Blizard.  
Adam R. Baker, a prominent citizen of Montgomery, is dead.  
The grand jury of Bullock county returned only nine true bills.  
The Mobile and Girard railroad has renewed its charter and the line will be completed.  
The Rome and Decatur railroad will be extended from Gadsden to Decatur at an early day.  
A Western syndicate are about to establish a furniture factory in Birmingham.  
\$200,000 have been invested in manufacturing industries in Sheffield in the last four months.  
The initial copy of the Sunter Sun, published at Livingston, is a very creditable sheet.  
J. C. W. Rogers, one of the oldest citizens of Opelika, died in that city on Monday morning.  
Mad dogs are numerous about Port Deposit, and several animals and persons have been bitten.  
John M. Gayle, well known in Montgomery, committed suicide in Galveston several days since.  
Col. T. J. Goldsby, formerly of Selma, died at the Clift House in Childersburg on Monday morning, rather suddenly.  
The horse shoe nails manufactured in Decatur are earning an enviable reputation in St. Louis and other markets.  
Huntsville wants the Alabama Press Association to meet in that fair city, between the 15th June and 15th July.  
The whole line between Ozark and Newton is now covered with the grading forces of the Midland, hard at work.  
Subscriptions to the Bullock County Cotton Mills to the amount of \$24,000 were raised in Union Springs in one day.  
The ex-handle factory at Union Springs has about completed arrangements for doubling its capacity.  
Madison county rejoices over the prospect of having some of the best turnpike roads south before the close of the year.  
The farmers in the neighborhood of Eufaula are planting an increased area in corn this year.  
Levin A. Zachery, of Troy, has received the pleasant notification that he is heir to an estate of \$40,000 in Georgia.  
Gadsden will make an effort to secure the Orphan's Home, which is to be located in April.  
It is said that there remains about \$90,000 still unexpended of the appropriation for the improvement of the Warrior river at Tuscaloosa.  
Cullman boasts that she ships more freight than any other place between Nashville and Birmingham. Decatur is inclined to demur.  
A queer complaint, which has puzzled the physicians to name, is prevailing in Randolph, over forty citizens being down with it at the same time.  
Mrs. Jennie Jones is an applicant for the postoffice at Warrior. She has held the position ever since the death of her husband, two years ago, and has given satisfaction.  
A new \$50,000 hotel and an effort to attract northern tourists is among the probabilities for Troy. If the site desired can be obtained, the project will mature into a purpose.  
Col. Thos. H. Jones, brother-in-law of Congressman Wheeler, died suddenly at his home near Courtland, on Monday. He was the largest land owner in North Alabama.  
Mrs. Johnston, wife of Major John W. Johnston, President of the Georgia Pacific Railroad, died very suddenly from pneumonia on Monday morning at her residence in Birmingham.  
Wm. Schefflin, tax-collector of Baldwin county, had a difficulty with a man named Dolive on a steamer near Mobile and shot him in the arm, inflicting a bad wound. The shooting tax-collector was not arrested.  
Tuscaloosa wants to be tapped by the Alabama Southern Railroad and held an enthusiastic meeting on Monday night. If she can raise \$80,000 she will get the railroad connection, and as Tuscaloosa is plucky and enterprising she will get it.  
We heard an old gentleman who lives in Coffee county say one day last week that he never bought a pound of meat in his life, and that he has been selling meat every year since the war.—Ozark Star.  
The project of establishing a cotton factory in Troy is taking tangible shape and may soon work itself into a corporation. Everybody is enthusiastic on the plan and as soon as the effort shall be made, the necessary stock will be forthcoming.  
Mr. D. M. Cowley, of Dodsonville, says he will have to send to Tennessee to get hands to work on his farm. "There seems to be a scarcity of good farm labor in Jackson county. The large and increasing timber business seems to have employed all the surplus labor in the county. There is no excuse now for idleness. Every man and boy who wants work can get it.—Scottsboro Citizen.  
The \$40,000 that was necessary to secure for Huntsville the Cincinnati, Huntsville & Birmingham railroad has all been raised, and there seems to be no doubt that the road will be built. Much to the credit for this state of things is due to the indomita-

Lon Roe, a drummer and collector for Nichols & Weatherly, produce dealers in Birmingham, has mysteriously disappeared, and his wife is very uneasy about him. There is talk of some crookedness, as a draft given by him and cashed in Birmingham was returned protested.  
The editor of the Coosa River News is something of a savant. He says: "Those who have come to the Methodist District Conference here, both preachers and delegates, can safely say that the best free-stone water in the world is found at Centre. Though Lake Biwa, in Japan, is one of the largest bodies of fresh water, it does by no means equal ours in flavor, sweetness and purity."  
Railroad men are very fond of poking fun at each other's native towns. There was a crowd of Jackson countians and mixed assortment of other countians on the platform the other day when a speedy looking cuss came and one of the boys lallooted at him. "Hi, partner, ain't you from Jackson county?" "Naw," replied Seedy, "I'm sick in the reason I look so mean." The shout that went up from the crowd fell sadly on high Jackson ears.—Tusculum North Alabamian.  
**A PAINFUL ACCIDENT**  
Which Befell Capt. J. M. Anderson Wednesday Evening.  
On Wednesday evening Capt. J. M. Anderson, who was one of Montgomery county's Representatives in the Legislature two years ago, met with a painful accident on the Reese Mills place. He was riding over the plantation and his horse refused to cross a bridge over a ditch. He got down to lead the horse over the bridge, and it jumped across, falling on Capt. Anderson and knocking him down. He was painfully hurt and rendered unconscious.  
Dr. L. L. Hill, Jr., went out to see him yesterday morning, and found that while he was badly bruised, no bones were broken and no serious injury sustained.—Montgomery Advertiser.  
The Huntsville Gazette, a negro paper, mournfully exclaims that "President Harrison has not yet made a colored appointment." No, and that isn't all; the President, far from hurrying to make any "colored appointments" at all, will take care that the colored brother only occupies those berths that are unsuited to the tastes and convenience of those whose political slaves the negroes are. There has nothing yet transpired under the Harrison regime to indicate that the colored man will stand any better show under this than the preceding administration. It is hard for them to believe it, but the Republican party has precious little use for the negro.—Montgomery Dispatch.  
**The Intelligent Composer.**  
Harpers Bazar.  
When Charles Dudley Warner was editor of the Hartford (Conn.) Press, back in the "sixties," arousing the patriotism of the state with his appeals one of the type-setters came in from the composing room, and planting himself before the editor, said: "Well, Mr. Warner, I've decided to enlist in the army." With mingled sensations of pride and responsibility, Mr. Warner replied encouragingly that he was glad to see the man felt the call of duty. "Oh, it isn't that," said the truthful composer, "but I'd rather be shot than to set any more of your blanked copy."  
The order from Postmaster General Wamamaker, which the telegraph reports this morning, is likely to cast a gloom over that noble army of Republican patriots who wish to serve the country by handling the mails. The order is given out that not even offensive partisanship will be considered a valid reason for turning a postmaster out of office until his term has expired.—Birmingham Age-Herald.  
A planter of Milltown, Georgia, wrote a note some time ago and placed it inside a bale of cotton, asking the manufacturers to communicate with him. Six months after he received a letter from Wadsworth Mills, Lancashire England, stating that the cotton was worth there twelve cents a pound. The planter had sold it for eight and three-quarter cents and he has been having quite an instructive correspondence with the firm in the old country.  
**THE ORPHAN'S HOME**  
Rev. L. B. Payne, Agent and Trustee of the Orphan's Home at Macon, Ga., Writes a Letter Dated February 5th, 1889.  
Atlanta Constitution, Feb. 10th, '89.  
"I have been using Swift's Specific with the children of the orphan's home under my charge with the best results. I began its use between nine and ten years ago, and have seen many remarkable results.  
Quite a number of the children had constitutional blood diseases resulting from the sins of parents and every one of these children were cured of the horrible taint by the use of S. S. S.  
There have also been scores of children in the institution whose systems (they having been mostly with out the benefits of parental care) were enervated by dirt eating and other foul practices. Every one of these children have taken S. S. S. and all have been signally benefited by it. All have been cured who have taken enough of it. We have also

painful recurring attacks of erysipelas. Neither one improved under the treatment usual for the disease. When all other remedies were discarded and they took S. S. S. the cure in each case was quick and permanent, for they have been well for five years and there has been no return of the disease. I could tell much more of the remarkable cures of blood disease by S. S. S., for I have seen it used and know its value.  
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**ALABAMA IN BRIEF.**  
Childersburg has a new paper called the "Gleaner."  
The Geneva Record has passed into the hands of A. L. Blizard.  
Adam R. Baker, a prominent citizen of Montgomery, is dead.  
The grand jury of Bullock county returned only nine true bills.  
The Mobile and Girard railroad has renewed its charter and the line will be completed.  
The Rome and Decatur railroad will be extended from Gadsden to Decatur at an early day.  
A Western syndicate are about to establish a furniture factory in Birmingham.  
\$200,000 have been invested in manufacturing industries in Sheffield in the last four months.  
The initial copy of the Suiter Sun, published at Livingston, is a very creditable sheet.  
J. C. W. Rogers, one of the oldest citizens of Opelika, died in that city on Monday morning.  
Mad dogs are numerous about Fort Deposit, and several animals and persons have been bitten.  
John M. Gayle, well known in Montgomery, committed suicide in Galveston several days since.  
Col. T. J. Goldsby, formerly of Selma, died at the Clift House in Childersburg on Monday morning, rather suddenly.  
The horse shoe nails manufactured in Decatur are earning an enviable reputation in St. Louis and other markets.  
Huntsville wants the Alabama Press Association to meet in that fair city, between the 15th June and 15th July.  
The whole line between Ozark and Newton is now covered with the grading forces of the Midland, hard at work.  
Subscriptions to the Bullock County Cotton Mills to the amount of \$24,000 were raised in Union Springs in one day.  
The ax-handle factory at Union Springs has about completed arrangements for doubling its capacity.  
Madison county rejoices over the prospect of having some of the best turnpike roads south before the close of the year.  
The farmers in the neighborhood of Eufula are planting an increased area in corn this year.  
Levin A. Zachery, of Troy, has received the pleasant notification that he is heir to an estate of \$40,000 in Georgia.  
Gadsden will make an effort to secure the Orphans Home, which is to be located in April.  
It is said that there remains about \$90,000 still unexpended of the appropriation for the improvement of the Warrior river at Tuscaloosa.  
Cullman boasts that she ships more freight than any other place between Nashville and Birmingham. Decatur is inclined to demur.  
A queer complaint, which has puzzled the physicians to name, is prevailing in Randolph, over forty citizens being down with it at the same time.  
Mrs. Jennie Jones is an applicant for the postoffice at Warrior. She has held the position ever since the death of her husband, two years ago, and has given satisfaction.  
A new \$50,000 hotel and an effort to attract northern tourists is among the probabilities for Troy. If the site desired can be obtained, the project will mature into a purpose.  
Col. Thos. H. Jones, brother-in-law of Congressman Wheeler, died suddenly at his home near Courtland, on Monday. He was the largest land owner in North Alabama.  
Mrs. Johnston, wife of Major John W. Johnston, President of the Georgia Pacific Railroad, died very suddenly from pneumonia on Monday morning at her residence in Birmingham.  
Wm. Schefflin, tax-collector of Baldwin county, had a difficulty with a man named Doherty on a steamer near Mobile and shot him in the arm, inflicting a bad wound. The shooting tax-collector was not arrested.  
Tuscaloosa wants to be tapped by the Alabama Southern Railroad and held an enthusiastic meeting on Monday night. If she can raise \$30,000 she will get the railroad connection, and as Tuscaloosa is plucky and enterprising she will get it.  
We heard an old gentleman who lives in Coffee county say one day last week that he never bought a pound of meat in his life, and that he has been selling meat every year since the war.—Ozark Star.

The project of establishing a cotton factory in Troy is taking tangible shape and may soon work itself into a corporation. Everybody is enthusiastic on the plan and as soon as the effort shall be made, the necessary stock will be forthcoming.  
Mr. D. M. Cowley, of Dodsonville, says he will have to send to Tennessee to get hands to work on his farm. There seems to be a scarcity of good farm labor in Jackson county. The large and increasing timber business seems to have employed all the surplus labor in the county. There is no excuse now for idleness. Every man and boy who wants work can get it.—Scottsboro Citizen.

The \$40,000 that was necessary to secure for Huntsville the Cincinnati, Huntsville & Birmingham railroad, has all been raised, and there seems to be no doubt that the road will be built. Much to the credit for this state of things is due to the indomitable

Lon Roe, a drummer and collector for Nichols & Weatherly, produce dealers in Birmingham, has mysteriously disappeared, and his wife is very uneasy about him. There is talk of some crookedness as a draft given by him and cashed in Birmingham was returned protested.

The editor of the Coosa River News is something of a savant. He says: Those who have come to the Methodist District Conference here, both preachers and delegates, can safely say that the best free-stone water in the world is found at Centre. Though Lake Biwa, in Japan, is one of the largest bodies of fresh water, it does by no means equal ours in flavor, sweetness and purity.

Railroad men are very fond of poking fun at each other's native towns. There was a crowd of Jackson countians and mixed assortment of other countians on the platform the other day when a seedy looking cuss came and one of the boys hallooed at him. "Hi, partner, ain't you from Jackson county?" "Naw," replied Seedy, "I'm sick is the reason I look so mean." The shout that went up from the crowd full sadly on high Jackson ears.—Tusculum North Alabamian.

**A PAINFUL ACCIDENT**  
Which Befell Capt. J. M. Anderson Wednesday Evening.  
On Wednesday evening Capt. J. M. Anderson, who was one of Montgomery county's Representatives in the Legislature two years ago, met with a painful accident on the Reese Mills place. He was riding over the plantation and his horse refused to cross a bridge over a ditch. He got down to lead the horse over the bridge, and it jumped across, falling on Capt. Anderson and knocking him down. He was painfully hurt and rendered unconscious.

Dr. L. L. Hill, Jr., went out to see him yesterday morning, and found that while he was badly bruised, no bones were broken and no serious injury sustained.—Montgomery Advertiser.

The Huntsville Gazette, a negro paper, mournfully exclaims that "President Harrison has not yet made a colored appointment." No, and that isn't all; the President, far from hurrying to make any "colored appointments" at all, will take care that the colored brother only occupies those berths that are unsuited to the tastes and convenience of those whose political slaves the negroes are. There has nothing yet transpired under the Harrison regime to indicate that the colored man will stand any better show under this than the preceding administration. It is hard for them to believe it, but the Republican party has precious little use for the negro.—Montgomery Dispatch.

**The Intelligent Composer.**  
Harpers Bazar.  
When Charles Dudley Warner was editor of the Hartford (Conn.) Press, back in the "sixties," arousing the patriotism of the state with his appeals one of the type-setters came in from the composing room, and planting himself before the editor, said: "Well, Mr. Warner, I've decided to enlist in the army." With mingled sensations of pride and responsibility, Mr. Warner replied encouragingly that he was glad to see the man felt the call of duty. "Oh, it isn't that," said the truthful composer, "but I'd rather be shot than to set any more of your blanked copy."

The order from Postmaster General Wamamaker, which the telegraph reports this morning, is likely to cast a gloom over that noble army of Republican patriots who wish to serve the country by handling the mails. The order is given out that not even offensive partisanship will be considered a valid reason for turning a postmaster out of office until his term has expired.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

A planter of Milltown, Georgia, wrote a note some time ago and placed it inside a bale of cotton, asking the manufacturers to communicate with him. Six months after he received a letter from Wadsworth Mills, Lancashire England, stating that the cotton was worth there twelve cents a pound. The planter had sold it for eight and three-quarter cents and he has been having quite an instructive correspondence with the firm in the old country.

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